

The Bethel Citizen

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New snowmobile link eyed between Bethel and routes in N. H.

USFS: but without landowners' OK, 6.6-mile project is a no-go

By ALISON ALOISIO

Area snowmobilers will find the going safer -- and the places to go more accessible -- if a total of 6.6 miles of proposed new trail sections in the White Mountain National Forest become a reality. The improved trails would, in theory, also bring more snowmobiler dollars into the region.

The U.S. Forest Service last month requested public comment on the proposed trail, and will make a decision on it after discussion with the landowners involved.

The largest trail segment under consideration would improve conditions for snowmobilers who currently risk getting their feet and machines wet along the Androscoggin.

A 3.6-mile segment that runs east from the Gilead Picnic Area to the Bog Road would replace the current east/west trail that runs along the north side of the Androscoggin

River from Gilead to Bethel (see map).

The river has historically flooded its banks at times during the winter, creating impassable pools of water and ice flow hazards on the current trail.

The other three miles would run north and south from the Gilead Picnic Area to the junction of Rt. 113, near Hastings Campground. The segment would link Gilead and Bethel to the New Hampshire Corridor 19 trail and Maine's ITS 80 trail.

Gary Davis, the USFS project manager, said the plan "looks promising," but stressed that further discussion with landowners is needed before it can be approved.

He has received a half-dozen written comments from interested parties, with "no real negative"

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Newry's tax rate drops

New skiway properties credited

By ALISON ALOISIO

Newry's tax rate has been set at 9.8 mills for 1998. That's almost two mills lower than the 1997 rate of 11.75, and is largely due to added valuation from Sunday River Ski Resort.

Woodstock's mill rate, meanwhile, could decline by three mills. It's currently 18.82 -- double Newry's new figure. Any decline in Woodstock, however, would be due largely to a revaluation of property currently on the town's rolls.

Newry catches Bethel

Newry's total taxable valuation stands at \$192,377,798 -- up significantly from last year's \$153,328,898. The increase, according to Sylvia Gray, Newry administrative assistant, comes largely from Sunday River Ski Resort's 1997 development -- the Jordan Grand Hotel and the new Locke Mountain townhouses. Newry now

has more total valuation than Bethel, which stands at \$155,574,077.

It took Newry selectmen an hour Tuesday to sort out how the state's Homestead Exemption works into the figuring of the tax rate.

"This homestead tax exemption thing throws everything for a loop," said selectman Steve Wight. "I wonder if this is being played out 495 times across the state (referring to the number of towns in Maine)."

The exemption, passed this year by the state Legislature, allows property owners to take \$7,000 off their individual assessments. The state will pay the amount owed for that portion of the assessment.

In Newry, there is a total of \$686,000 in homestead exemptions. Although that amount had to be subtracted initially from taxable valuation, it still had to be figured

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A TRIBUTE TO THE SURVIVORS--Judy Hoyt, an amateur artist from Corona del Mar, Calif. and New York City, was visiting Bethel last week when she noticed how many trees -- particularly birches -- had been damaged in January's ice storm. "I felt sorry for them," she said. Finding one stand of birches still intact on the top of Paradise Hill, she decided to paint them.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Officials here urged to prod King and DEP for tire-dump clean-up

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Two local legislators are urging residents and town officials here to write state officials to demand faster action on the removal of tires from Gordon's Tire Dump.

The tire dump, located off Greenwood's Rabbit Road, was started in the late 1980s, and was licensed by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection in 1991.

Prior to its licensing, Greenwood officials had protested strongly to the DEP, pointing to numerous environmental violations already at the site.

They also argued that the proprie-

Bennett, Winsor criticize state for failing to put bond funds to work here

tor, Peter Gordon, lacked the resources and expertise to run the site as a recycling center.

It would become, they argued, simply a place for accumulating unwanted tires.

The DEP, however, assured local

officials the agency was committed to insuring the site was properly managed and did not become a hazard to the environment.

But the prediction of the local officials proved correct; the promises of the DEP proved hollow, and in 1995 the site was closed by court order.

The closing came as a relief to local residents, but a serious problem still remained -- the estimated 2.7 million tires still dumped on the site.

The DEP has set aside \$250,000

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Runway vote may hinge on ASC's funding assurance

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel voters will decide at a special Town Meeting Monday if they are willing to lengthen the runway at the Col. Dyke Airfield.

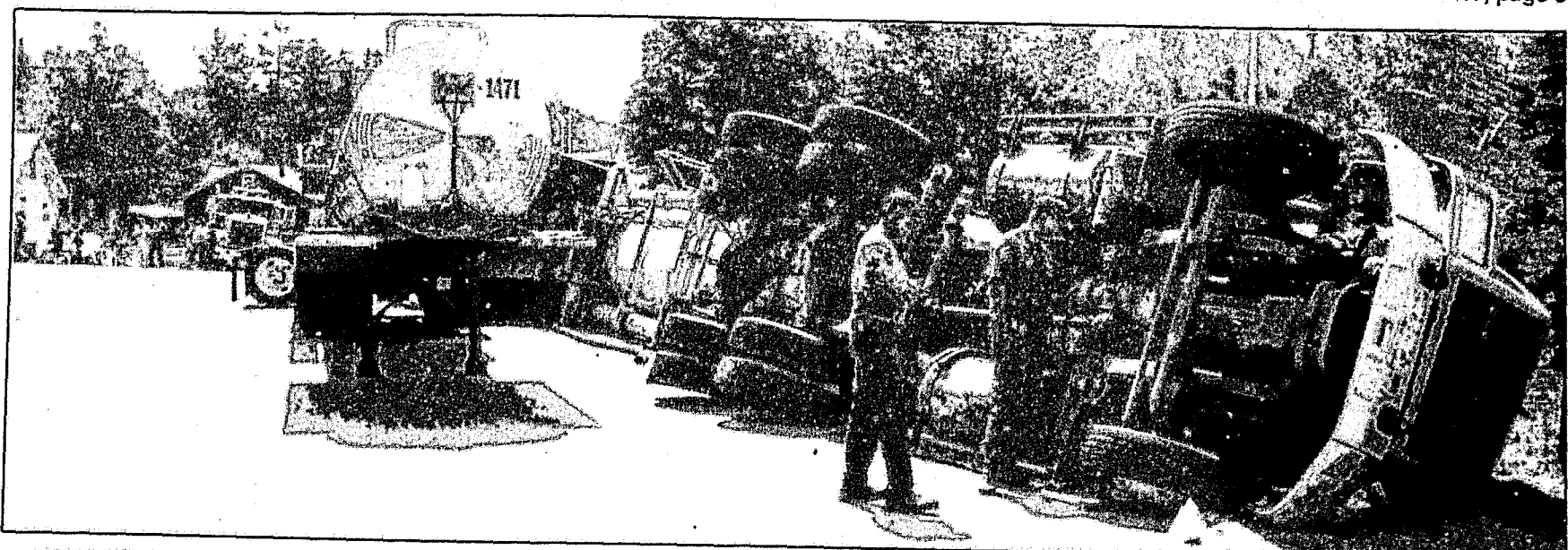
The current runway is 3,150 feet long by 60 feet wide. If voters approve the extension proposal, the runway would be lengthened to 4,000 feet and widened to 75 feet.

The project is projected to cost \$2,444,444, with the funds to come from the Federal Aviation Administration (\$2,200,000), the Maine Department of Transportation (\$122,222) and a combination of credits the town already has with the FAA and a contribution -- estimated at from \$70,000 to \$90,000 -- from the American Skiing Company.

(The ASC contribution would cover the "matching share" of funds the town would normally have been expected to contribute in order to leverage the federal and state money. ASC has said it is volunteering the money because the longer runway would be an asset both for the company -- whose senior officials regularly use the airport -- and for its Newry subsidiary, Sunday River Ski Resort.)

Over the course of the past month the Bethel Airport Authority and Board of Selectmen have been attempting to address a number of questions residents have raised

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ANOTHER ONE--Route 26 between Bryant Pond and Locke Mills was closed for almost eight hours Sunday, while emergency personnel dealt with the latest 18-wheel victim of the sharp curve in Bryant Pond.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

The beat goes on at Rt. 26 curve in Bryant Pond

By ALISON ALOISIO

Vern Maxfield, Woodstock's town manager, plans to call the Maine Department of Transportation to remind officials of their intent to install flashing lights at the sharp curve in Bryant Pond.

That is, if they haven't already been reminded by the most recent 18-wheeler accident on the Route 26 curve.

For the third time in four years, a tractor trailer rolled over while rounding the corner by the post office.

It happened about 6 a.m. Sunday morning, as driver Donald Grant, 41, was headed north with a tanker load of titanium dioxide. He was transporting the chemical from Auburn to Gorham, N.H.

Corner claims third truck in less than four years

Darren Tripp, police chief in Bethel, was the first law enforcement officer on the scene -- he lives very close to the corner. The sound of the crash woke him up, he said. Rescue, firefighters and state trooper Kyle Tilsley arrived a short time later.

Grant was hospitalized at Central

Maine Medical Center with a head injury. He was in serious condition

Wednesday. None of the chemical spilled when the truck rolled over. Some diesel fuel did spill, Tilsley said, but it posed little danger. The crash blocked Rt. 26 until about 1:30 p.m. Damage to the truck was estimated at \$100,000.

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Sudbury Canada Days events

Sudbury Canada was Bethel's name from the time of the granting of this Western Maine township in 1768 to its incorporation in 1796. It was so designated to honor the original grantees from Sudbury, Massachusetts, who had fought unsuccessfully to conquer Canada in 1690. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which owned Maine until 1820, rewarded these men with land in the District of Maine, naming it in honor of their Massachusetts town and the campaign in which they served. This area was never part of Canada. "Sudbury Canada Days," the summer heritage festival of the Bethel Historical Society, honors the town's rich heritage dating from the 18th century.

Friday, Aug. 7--Seventh annual Hall Memorial Lecture. John Radner, Ph.D., professor of literature, American University, "Performing the Paper: Village Learning and Laughter in Post-bellum Western Maine," 7 p.m., Dr. Moses Mason House Meeting Room.

Saturday, Aug. 8--12 noon to 3 p.m., food and drink from the 1922 Mount Zircon Bottle Lunch Stand; 1 to 5 p.m., Mister Mark's Mighty Maine Music Machine; 1 to 4 p.m., traditional craft demonstrations and exhibits -- Flower Show, Historical Videos, Art Show, Old Time Children's Games, Farming/Logging Exhibit; 1 p.m., Children's Parade -- theme: "Mother Goose Characters"; 2 p.m., Badminton Tournament, Horseshoe Tournament, Croquet Tournament, Ice Cream Eating Contest; 4 p.m., drawing for door prize; 5 p.m., Log Driver's Bean Supper (tickets available all afternoon); 7 p.m., Old Time Variety Show.

Sunday, Aug. 9--1 to 4 p.m., Flower Show, Art Show, Historical Videos, Farming/Logging Exhibit; 2 to 5 p.m., open house, Lower Sunday River Schoolhouse (1895), Sunday River Road, Newry; 7 p.m., Old-time Hymn Sing, Middle Intervale Meeting House, Intervale Road, Bethel.

All events, except the Saturday supper, are free. For further information, please call the Bethel Historical Society at (207) 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910.

TELSTAR ALUMNI DAY

August 8, 1998

10:00 AM Annual Meeting of the Telstar Alumni Association in the Cafeteria

10:00 AM 'til NOON Supervised Games for your Kids

10:00 AM 'til 4:00 PM Volleyball Challenge

11:30 AM 'til 1:00 PM Barbecue

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Raindate: Sunday, August 23rd

Donations Welcome, contact 562-7066

For listing, refer to Lewiston Sun-Journal, Aug. 13th

Voices of the Androscoggin River Valley

The words, memories and opinions of your friends & neighbors on stage at the East Bethel Alder River Grange and Sudbury Canada Days,

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for tickets and more info call 824-0709

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We'll re-open on Tuesday, August 11th for lunch.

OPEN HOUSE

Colista Morgan's 90th Birthday

Saturday, August 8th from 1 - 4 pm at the Norway Town Office

All family, friends and previous students are welcome!

to benefit the Albany Improvement Association

.....Saturday, Aug. 15th....

9 am - 3 pm

Albany Town Hall. Donations may be dropped off at Norma & David Salways on Rte. 5.

Call 824-2305 or 527-2138 for more information

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Town of Bethel

A special Town Meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 10th at 7:00 pm at Crescent Park School

to address the following issues:

AIRPORT RUNWAY EXTENSION: The Town will be in receipt of a grant from the Federal Aviation Administration to extend the runway at Col. Dyke Field from 3,150 ft. to 4,000 ft. The grant will pay 90% of the engineering and construction costs of the project. The State will contribute 5% and the local share will be 5%. American Skiing Company will pay for the Town's 5% share. A vote of the Town is necessary to authorize the project, to accept the grant funds from the FAA, and to accept the gift from American Skiing Company.

SWANS HILL ROAD: In 1991 the Town voted to discontinue winter maintenance on the Swans Hill Road for a period of 10 years. Since the vote was taken, several people have used the road to access their property for seasonal use and, within the last year or so, some of them have expressed an interest to access their property for residential use on a year round basis. A town vote is necessary to lift the moratorium on winter maintenance and to appropriate an amount of money for repairs to the road so that winter maintenance will be possible.

Copies of the Town Meeting Warrant are available at the Town Office and at the Town Meeting.

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Editorial

A sound prescription

It would be a welcome sight to see some fresh faces at Monday's special Town Meeting on the proposed runway extension at the Col. Dyke Airfield.

Especially some fresh younger faces.

The two public hearings on lengthening the runway both drew respectable, but hardly overwhelming turnouts. And certainly those people who did make the effort to attend and contribute to the discussion are to be commended.

The people who usually show up for such affairs are drawn from the relatively small core of concerned and responsible voters who can be counted on to endure the occasional tedium of town meetings in order to carry out their civic duty.

By their efforts they insure that democracy remains alive and well in Bethel, and that: "of the people, by the people and for the people," does not develop here the hollow ring it has acquired nationally.

But "Yea" or "Nay" on the runway extension is more than just an exercise in self government, important as that is; it is also a crucial statement about the town's willingness to continue to support the kind of economic development that has brought our region a level of prosperity and opportunity rare in rural, interior Maine.

And, given the economic importance of the vote, most of us would probably agree it would be a shame if the residents who will be most affected by that decision are not represented when the votes are counted Monday evening.

But looking around the audience at the two earlier hearings, it was hard not to think that the economic circumstances of most of the people present were relatively settled -- that as individuals they would not be affected materially by such questions as how much tax money we'll be able to put into the school system in years to come, or how available jobs will be at the entry level and beyond, or about what opportunities the local economy will afford for those who are willing to take the big step of starting entrepreneurial enterprises of their own, or at how connected we will be to the global economy -- physically, by our transportation infrastructure, but also electronically and culturally.

These matters will matter most to younger residents and their families.

We look forward to seeing these potential voters Monday evening.

We have taken the liberty of reprinting this week a letter to the editor originally published in The Citizen on April 10, 1958 (box, upper right).

The letter is from Dr. G. L. Kneeland, a local osteopath whom some of our readers will no doubt remember.

In the letter Kneeland shares his thoughts on a proposal by the Bethel Area Development Corporation to build a small "ski slide" on the backside of Barker Mountain, in the hope of generating some wintertime economic activity.

He didn't think much of the idea, and since the doctor was a humorous and perceptive writer, we think our readers today will enjoy learning why not.

They will also find in his letter a sampling of his observations on the nature of the local political process. Modern readers may find that some of those observations have well withstood the test of time.

But regarding the question of the economic potential of the BADC proposal, the doctor's prognosis turned out to be wrong. Wrong, but actuarially sound. In the past decades small ski slopes have sprouted and withered all over northern New England. Few rooted and flourished like Sunday River.

And while his prognosis might have been off the mark, Kneeland's prescription for Bethel was right on target. He concludes by noting that in a small town things work best when we all pull together.

"My plea," he writes, "is that a plan be adopted which all of us can unite wholeheartedly behind, for the benefit of the whole town."

Today, with the benefit of four decades of hindsight, it's pretty clear that such a plan, the potential "thriving industry" the doctor hoped for, did indeed arrive here -- in the form of that self-same little ski slide on the backside of Barker.

Monday night might be a good time to follow the doctor's orders, by uniting wholeheartedly behind an enterprise which has more than proven its value to the continued good health of our local economy.

-MRD

Letters to the editor

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Letters

ANENT THAT SKI SLIDE IDEA

April 10, 1958

To the Editor:

I have asked and have been granted graciously space to express my convictions anent current Bethel doings for which I am grateful to The Citizen.

I eased my remains into Spec's tontorial chair, Doc, says he, I suppose you have paid your tribute of twenty five bucks to the Bethel Area Development Corporation. No Spec, says I, I haven't. But that's only half the answer. The other half is that I'm not going to either.

No doubt this makes me persona something or other akin to a dirty skunk. What I am doesn't matter. What does matter is that there is a sizable inarticulate segment of the community who feel, I believe, as I do that the particular plan which this group promulgates is misguided, especially at this time. As I hear it there is no question of good intentions. It is the quality of the plan itself which is open to doubt.

As I understand it the parishioners are asked to raise and sink something like ninety seven thousand clams on some such spot as the back side of Barker Mountain for the express benefit of whom? The eating houses you say, for one. Granted. But how many more people and (which is more important) how much wages will they get? In other words how many bread winners would benefit? I'm asking. Or take the butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker. How will they benefit? All the eating houses order wholesale from out of town. Even the undertaker would stand to benefit very little. He might get the privilege of using his ambulance on a broken leg once or twice a year; quite possibly at his own expense. The inn keepers would stand to benefit and possibly a few others. But would the whole town reap benefits commensurate with the ninety seven thousand invested?

The root trouble with our community is mistrust and suspicion. For instance, there is the suspicion that some among the leaders in the town do not actually want a thriving industry here. This is not to accuse. But it does cite a prevalent destructive force in the town.

Now, no plan can be a total success without total effort. And there cannot be total effort without the wholehearted, united backing of all of us.

There is a way to lay the ghost of these suspicions. That is for the whole town to unite in a wholehearted effort to go out and get a thriving industry for the benefit of all. Then there might ensue a prosperity sufficient to warrant the erection of a ski slide as is now proposed.

One hears the remark that we do not want undesirable people. I, for one, would like to see the Bethelians fatuous enough to smite his bosom and proclaim himself a desirable person. All that I have met thus far are busily working their own particular angles.

If we all do not unite in whatever effort is made the results are likely to run something like this: Enough money will be raised to start the ball rolling. Then money will have to be borrowed to finish up the job. With the result that there will be frequent passings of the hat to raise interest money and reduce the size of the debt. Good for the bankers, but not for the town. Meanwhile the destructive forces of distrust and suspicion along with the ill will they engender are permitted to operate unmolested among us. Until the spiritual rot results eventually in a ghost town.

The perpetuation of that most desirable estate, the status quo, is a fond delusion often courted, as well as being an impossibility to maintain.

My plea is that a plan be adopted which all of us can unite wholeheartedly behind, for the benefit of the whole town. Amen.

G.L. Kneeland, D.O.
Bethel

TOO MANY GRANTS

To the Editor:

As I read the paper it seems to be the trend to look for a grant to fund some project the town of Bethel can't afford. If we can't afford it, we don't need it.

I guess people think that a grant is pennies from heaven and free. It would probably scare us to know what it costs to collect our taxes, pay the interest on government debt, turn around and make some bureaucratic jobs to dole the money back to us in the form of grants or storm damage or whatever. Maine is supposed to get \$25 million for storm damage, the paper stated that \$15 million would be administrative. I think it would be a safe guess that we get back \$1 for grants, etc., for every \$2 we pay.

Bureaucrats point out that if we don't apply for these grants someone else will. I think if they convince enough people of that it is job security for them.

Usually there are strings attached, like jobs at the Bethel Station, finishing the railroad crossing on Mechanic Street, or some other small print that comes up later for Bethel to pay for. The sewer plant seems to need a blank check for engineering. If Bethel builds a bigger airport, it is just a matter of time before a control tower or lights or something else unforeseen now will appear, and guess who gets tagged for the tab?

People tell me there is no such thing as a free lunch, sooner or later we pay. I prefer to pay as we go and buy as we can afford presently. Probably all of this so-called progress will move at a slower pace, but is that all that bad?

Robert L. Blake
Bethel

AIRPORT AUTHORITY URGES SUPPORT

To the Editor:

The Bethel Airport Authority is in support of the extension of the runway at the Bethel Airport, which is scheduled to be constructed in 1999. This is the result of years of planning by the authority: as part of the Master Planning process and in our vision for the airport. We are fortunate that the funding is now available to move this project ahead.

The extension will make the airport safer for all pilots using the facility. It will also meet the needs of visitors seeking to arrive and depart Bethel by air, as well as the needs of major employers. We have worked hard to provide information on the airport in general and the runway extension in particular throughout the 18-month Master Planning process, and during the past two months following news of the immediate funding for the project. Those with questions may contact us individually.

We encourage those who support the runway extension as a vital addition to the safe operation of this important aspect of Bethel's transportation infrastructure to attend the Special Town Meeting on Monday, Aug. 10, at the Crescent Park School at 7 p.m. and to vote in favor of the warrant articles.

Bethel Airport Authority: Arlan Jodrey, chair, Dan Gibbs, John Head, Cathy Newell, Nancy Schlieper, Dick Theriault, Eric Wight.

VIEW FROM THE NORSEMAN

To the Editor:

I question the growth of the airport. I have lived in Bethel now for eight years and have seen many changes. However, I don't look at the growth of the airport as a positive one. I have heard arguments that it will be safer for the planes now currently landing, and this is true, but let me remind you, if the runway gets longer, the planes get bigger, and louder, and sitting from where I am at the Norseman, we smell more fumes.

Having to drive one hour to one and one-half hours to get to a major airport makes living in Bethel unique. I don't think many towns of a population of under 3,000 have big airports, it's simply the demand of a big business. Why else would the town be getting this free money?

Many people that stay at the Norseman frequent the restaurants in the village. They stay in Bethel because of what it is. If these people find that Bethel is no longer quaint, they will go elsewhere, and so will the dollars that they spend in and around Bethel.

The planes go directly over my head at the Norseman. They leave early and now are coming in late. What about my needs and the needs of my guests?

I urge you to vote "no" against the expansion of the runway. Let's finish the incomplete Bethel Station first and reassess the airport with more thought and time later.

John Cheney
Bethel

PLEASE FIX THE ROAD

To the Editor:

At the Aug. 10 Special Town Meeting, please support our Board of Selectmen's unanimous recommendation to do necessary repairs to the Swan Hill Road.

Travel on the road is currently adequate, having just been graded last month. However, over the years the requirements for better drainage systems, surfaced content/shape and sunlight have been sorely neglected. The recommended work finally addresses these needs, not just temporary cosmetics.

Substantial meeting time has been taken by the selectmen over the past year, establishing a dialogue with our small group of taxpayers who would like winter maintenance on this town road. Numerous on-site road inspections have been made by the town manager and the selectmen. The result is their request for your support. This recommendation to you by the selectmen reflects the town's responsibility to maintain the road. Thank you to them for their time, insight and service.

Thank you, too, to the voters who support the approval. Those of you who enjoy a safe, reliable town road to your home may understand our desire for the same.

Fred Turton
Bethel

POST OFFICE THANKS

To the Editor:

Thank you to Bethel's Postmaster Norman Milliard and employees. Bethel is lucky to have had such a smooth transition from the old post office to the temporary post office. The temporary post office is extremely pleasant. It is larger, air conditioned, has easy access to boxes and improved parking. So thank you postmaster and employees.

Marna and Jim McGinniss
Bethel

OUR BACK PAGES

Compiled by POLLY DAVIS

10 years ago: Karen Robinson became the new teaching principal at Andover Elementary School.

The Bethel Board of Selectmen met in the newly finished meeting room at the Town Office.

Roger Hanscom and Francis Berry were appointed to represent the town of Newry in the new apportionment of the SAD44 Board of Directors.

New construction in Bethel included Ann and Lisa Friedlander's Unicorn Flower Shop and Garden Center across from Telstar Regional High School, Ginger and Gene Kelly's Main Street building (now Maine Street Place) was taking shape, and much larger than the former building destroyed by fire, Sue Howe and Warren Tibbets were constructing a home on Middle Intervale Road, Bob and Nancy Chadbourne were building a new home on the top of Paradise, Keith Durgin had the foundation in for his future High Street office, and Carl Glidden was expanding the rear of the I.G.A.

Births: Margaret Duplessis, Danielle Forkus, Kristen Arsenault. Death: Marilla Allen.

20 years ago: Clukey's Pharmacy (now Preb's) was sold to Charles M. Primozich of South Paris and the name was changed to Prim's.

Sen. Edmund S. Muskie spoke at the dedication ceremonies for the Bethel Broad Street Historic District, which was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in December 1977.

S.P.E.D.Y. workers at West Bethel Children's Center during the summer were Leslie Bean, Lori Mason and Teri Heath.

The annual picnic for the Ekco Wood Products employees was held at Bear Pond Park in Turner.

Birth: Brandi Brooks.

Marriages: April Rugg and Glenn Edwards, Barbara Mundt and John Walsh.

Death: Frank Morgan.

30 years ago: George Stebbins and his father, the Rev. Stebbins of Bethel Methodist Church, trapped and shot a 240-pound (dressed) bear behind Louis and Florice Paul's house in West Bethel, believed to have been the one making a nuisance of himself in the Skillingston, Robertson Hill and West Bethel area.

Mary and Earlon "Bud" Paine moved into their new home on Chapman Street.

Timothy Brooks returned to Vietnam after an R. & R. leave in Hawaii.

Blake's Job Shop, owned by Warren Blake on Vernon Street, advertised "machine work and welding."

Birth: Christene Pederson.

Dora Buckman and Carroll Bean, Jr., Jacquelyn Brooks and William Keoskie.

Death: Lena Wight.

40 years ago: Attending Methodist Camp were: Rebecca and Rachel Keniston, Victoria Robertson, Maryvonne Rolfe, Mary Morrill and Peter York.

Anthony J. Rosato of Rumford was low bidder on construction of Gibbs Bridge in Andover North Surplus and Morgan Brook Bridge in Greenwood.

Sunday River Skiway took its first major physical step when a group of 15 volunteers, led by Addison Saunders and Murray Thurston, started clearing the lift line.

A barn of Frank Benson at North-west Bethel was burned to the ground during a heavy electrical storm.

The one-room school at East Andover was closed and the pupils were to be transported to the Elm Street School.

Births: Trudie Cummings, Candy Bennett. Death: Carroll Abbott.

50 years ago: Traffic was stopped at Alder River bridge an hour or more while the former Middle Intervale School house, owned by Stanley Davis, was en route to its new location on Bridge Street, Bethel (now the home of Michael and Linda Gilbert).

The George Hammond family reunion was held at the Finnish picnic grounds in Greenwood.

The second annual reunion of the descendants of Harvey and Diantha Fuller was held at East B Hill, Upton, on the farm of the late Lysander Fuller.

Eighty-year-old Bosserman's Pharmacy (now Preb's) was operating in a completely remodeled and modernized facility. Employees were: Alton Carroll (since 1922), Agnes Gurney, Rose Albert and Scott Gurney.

Deaths: Albert Smith, Leona Buck, Clara Sargent.

100 years ago: Blueberries were selling for 12 cents per quart.

The Methodist Church held an ice cream social on its lawn.

J.M. Philbrook shipped 19 cows and 50 calves out of Bethel.

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Briefly

ASC stock prices drop

NEWRY--The American Skiing Company's stock hit a new low of \$9 -- down from November's initial high of \$18.25 -- as the New York Stock Exchange closed Tuesday. The drop and a sell-off of stock began last week after ASC's rating was lowered by Catherine Lewis of Morgan Stanley, an influential Wall Street analyst. Lewis cited delays in the development of real estate properties and the possibility of a drop in earnings as areas of concern. But also on Tuesday, ASC put a record \$42.6 million in real estate under contract at Utah's The Canyons resort under contract, within 10 hours of offering it to the public. ASC officials said the stock drop was an overreaction by investors, who the officials said are not yet familiar with ski resort stock. The stocks were first offered for sale in November. A July 30 written analysis by Goldman, Sachs & Co. Investment Research also said investors have overreacted to the slippage of real estate. First Call Research Network referred to a recent agreement between ASC and the Marriott Vacation Club International to jointly develop luxury at five ASC resorts. "The Marriott agreement validates SKI's resort building strategy. Marriott's commitment to build close to \$1 billion of timeshare properties at SKI resorts is a clear signal that they believe these properties are thriving and worthy of the company's nameplate," said FCRI in a written analysis on July 28. But the same report also referred to ASC's "inexperience in both real estate and managing expectations."

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NEWRY--If Marriott Vacation Club International builds an expected 200 luxury villas in Jordan Bowl, the town of Newry will be sending out an additional 10,000 tax bills a year -- one for each weekly vacation ownership. The American Skiing Company last week signed an agreement with Marriott to jointly develop vacation homes at five of ASC's resorts, including Sunday River. Sylvia Gray, Newry's administrative assistant, speculated last week that the Town Office may be headed for five-day-a-week office hours.

Mt. Abram auction Friday

LOCKE MILLS--The foreclosure auction for Ski Mt. Abram is scheduled for tomorrow (Friday) beginning at 11 a.m. at the ski area's base lodge. Norway Savings Bank foreclosed on the Locke Mills area in May, following two years of poor weather for the Maine ski industry. The auction will be handled by the Keenan Auction Company.

Bingo opponents file brief

AUGUSTA--Opponents of a planned high-stakes bingo hall for Albany Township filed a legal brief Monday alleging the Land Use Regulation Commission wrongly approved the project. LURC voted Nov. 20 to rezone 18.3 acres in Albany and granted the Passamaquoddy Indian Tribe permission to build a 43,000-square-foot hall. The brief, filed on behalf of property owners Margaret Wille and Evelyn Kimball, makes the following arguments: the tribe does not have the right to use the land for a gambling hall; the project does not satisfy a need in the community; or area; the rezoning to a general development sub-district is not consistent with LURC standards. Jeff Rosenblatt, an attorney and Albany resident, is expected to file a second brief opposing the decision by Aug. 10.

Another Rem headed for St. Joe's

BETHEL--Bob Remington, who recently retired from teaching in SAD44, has accepted a position as assistant baseball coach at St. Joseph's College in Standish. Remington was baseball, soccer and cross-country ski coach at Telstar High School for many years. While he also gave up the soccer and cross-country coaching jobs on retirement, he had tentatively planned to continue as the Rebel baseball coach. He will now give that up to take the St. Joseph's position. Remington's duties will also include recruitment and scouting. His son, Tim, will be a senior at the college this fall, and is a pitcher for the team.

Adult programming not scrambled

DIXFIELD--Dixfield selectmen last week delayed approval of the transfer of its State Cable franchise to FrontierVision so that concerns regarding the number of channels available could be resolved. A 27-signature petition was presented to them asking they take steps to ensure complete scrambling of adult programming on cable channels. Some residents said unscrambled broadcasts of frontal nudity and sex acts were coming through on their televisions, and had been viewed by their children. One subscriber said he had been told by State Cable they are scrambling as much as they can, but they took no responsibility when some TVs picked up the signal. Richard Robinson, Dixfield town manager, said he would contact the company to express the concerns of the citizens and the board.

All the trappings of a good weekend

BETHEL--The 21st annual New England Trappers Weekend takes place Friday, Saturday and Sunday on Neil Olson's property in Bethel. Activities will include trapping-related demonstrations and entertainment for all ages. A highlight of Friday's events is expected to be Louigi Fazool's humorous interpretation of Neil Olson doing a Coyote demo.

Alums' day Saturday

BETHEL--Telstar Alumni Day will take place Saturday, Aug. 8 at Telstar High School from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Events will include supervised games for kids, a volleyball challenge, a barbeque and entertainment by Ross Timberlake, Ronnie Mills and any talented alumni who wish to join in. The annual meeting of the Telstar Alumni Association will take place at 10 a.m. in the school cafeteria.

Hear the "Voices"

BETHEL--Performances of the Bethel-New Jersey collaborative documentary drama "Voices of the Androscoggin Valley" will take place Thursday and Friday at the Alder River Grange. Thursday's performance begins at 8 p.m., while Friday's is at 8:30 p.m. Another performance is scheduled Saturday evening on the lawn of the Moses Mason House, in conjunction with Sudbury Canada Days. For more information call 824-0709.

Grange yard sale items sought

BETHEL--The Alder River Grange's annual yard sale will take place Saturday, Aug. 15 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Anyone with a serviceable item or items to donate may call Stan Howe (824-2291), Nancy Mercer (824-3350) or Jim Lowe (824-3107), or leave them on Howe's side porch at 18 Broad Street. Anyone wishing to join the yard sale may do so with a \$5 donation per table.

Teacher shortage looms

BANGOR--Maine school districts have not resorted to big signing bonuses used in other parts of the country. But they're still concerned about a possible shortage of teachers. About two-thirds of Maine teachers are 40 or older, translating to a possible shortage down the road even though Maine is predicted to have a sharp drop in school-age students. Education officials have been predicting a wave of teacher retirements, but the trend seems to have begun sooner than expected. School officials across the state agree there are an unprecedented number of teaching jobs available this summer, leaving a shallow pool of applicants. The problem is greater for smaller school districts, because some teachers are dropping out to look for new work, or looking to larger districts to boost their salaries.

From the Bethel Police log:

At least he was honest

At 12:41 a.m. on Aug. 1 police were dispatched to a single vehicle accident, with injury, on the Songo Pond Road. While the officer was responding, the dispatcher advised the accident was in Albany, but requested the officer continue as a deputy was some distance away. She also advised there was a confirmed minor injury and two other occupants had fled on foot. On arrival, police observed a car/pole accident and a male subject standing in the road. He said he was drunk and had been driving. The officer asked what happened, and the man said he had been traveling about 70 miles per hour and lost control of the vehicle. Bethel Rescue arrived and treated him for a minor injury. Benjamin Howard (no age or address given) was then arrested for OUI. A search was conducted for the other two passengers, as it was reported had received injuries as well, but they were not found.

Thursday, July 30

At 10:52 p.m. a driver was stopped on Main Street after police observed erratic operation. He showed signs of intoxication, and was given a field sobriety test. Russell DeLallo, 37, of West Bethel was arrested and transported to the Oxford County Jail. A breath test was administered, with a result of .14. He was issued a summons and held in lieu of bail.

Friday, July 31

At 1:50 a.m. a driver was stopped after he was observed traveling on Railroad Street at approximately 20 miles per hour, with his four-way flashers on. He showed signs of intoxication. After field sobriety tests Mikael Reinoso, 33, of Bethel was arrested and taken to the Oxford County Jail. He was issued a summons and held in lieu of bail.

At 2:58 a.m. police were advised of a report of a domestic disturbance at an East Bethel Road residence. A state trooper took the initial information, and found the suspect had fled his residence after assaulting two subjects. The suspect, Casey Parker of Locke Mills, was located and arrested for domestic assault and violation of bail conditions. Police also issued an assault summons to one of the other two subjects, Tobias Parker of Bethel, because Casey Parker wanted to pursue charges.

At 9:50 p.m. police observed a driver traveling on Bridge Street with his rear license in the window instead of at the rear of the vehicle. The officer stopped the vehicle, and found numerous defects on it. After obtaining a list of the defects from a mechanic, the officer charged Adam Papaik, 18, of Bethel with operating an unsafe motor vehicle.

Sunday, Aug. 1

At 12:55 a.m. a subject was stopped on the Sunday River Road for swerving and operating 10 miles per hour below the speed limit. He showed signs of intoxication and was asked to perform field sobriety tests; which he failed. Donald C. Phillips, 27, of Covington, La., was arrested and transported to the Oxford County Jail, where a breath test was administered, with a result of .17. He was issued a summons for OUI.

At 12:55 a.m. a subject who was a passenger in a vehicle stopped for OUI on the Sunday River Road, kept exiting the vehicle and walking in the road. Other cars were forced to drive on the opposite side of the road. The subject was belligerent and yelled profanities. The officer warned him several times, but he continued to yell profanities. William H. Croft, 52, of Everett, Pa., was arrested. He resisted when the officer tried to handcuff him. After a brief struggle, he was handcuffed. After he calmed down he was put in the cruiser, taken to the Oxford County Jail and put in a holding cell.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log, but does not include all reports of police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies. An answering machine takes calls when an officer is not in the office.

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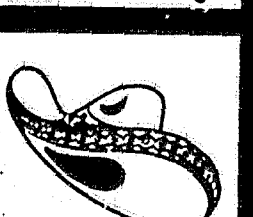
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Airport

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NAVIGATING THE CHARTS—At the latest public hearing on the airport expansion, Avery and Ernest Angevine, and Stuart Crocker ponder diagrams of the proposal. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

about the project (both boards support the widening project, as does the town Budget Committee).

The major issue still unresolved at this point involves the ASC contribution, and stems in part from the financial and legal complications that have arisen from a similar public-private venture to fund infrastructure associated with the Bethel Station project.

Some members of both the Board of Selectmen and Budget Committee have argued that in view of the Bethel Station difficulties, voters might balk at the airport project unless there was an ironclad

commitment from ASC that the town would not be exposed financially, even in the event that the runway project ends up costing more than \$2.4 million.

The selectmen, along with attorneys for the town and ASC are currently in negotiations, apparently over the exact nature of ASC's legal commitment to the town.

The selectmen met in executive session for more than an hour Monday evening, with ASC attorney Dierdre O'Callaghan.

Following the meeting the matter was referred back to the town attorney (who was not present Monday evening).

The selectmen have declined to comment on the status of the negotiations, but Chairman Dutch Dresser said later: "I'm confident we'll have something we can present to the voters at the Town Meeting."

Monday's special Town Meeting will be held at the Crescent Park School and will begin at 7 p.m.

Also on the warrant will be requests to reopen the Swan Hill Road to winter maintenance and to appropriate funds for beginning what is expected to be a multi-year process of repairing the road.

Trail

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responses. Much of the trail would follow existing roads and logging roads.

Wildlife biologists and foresters would evaluate the route for impacts in those areas, Davis said.

If the project is approved, state grant money may be available to help fund the work. Drainage work, excavation and brush clearing

would be required in some areas.

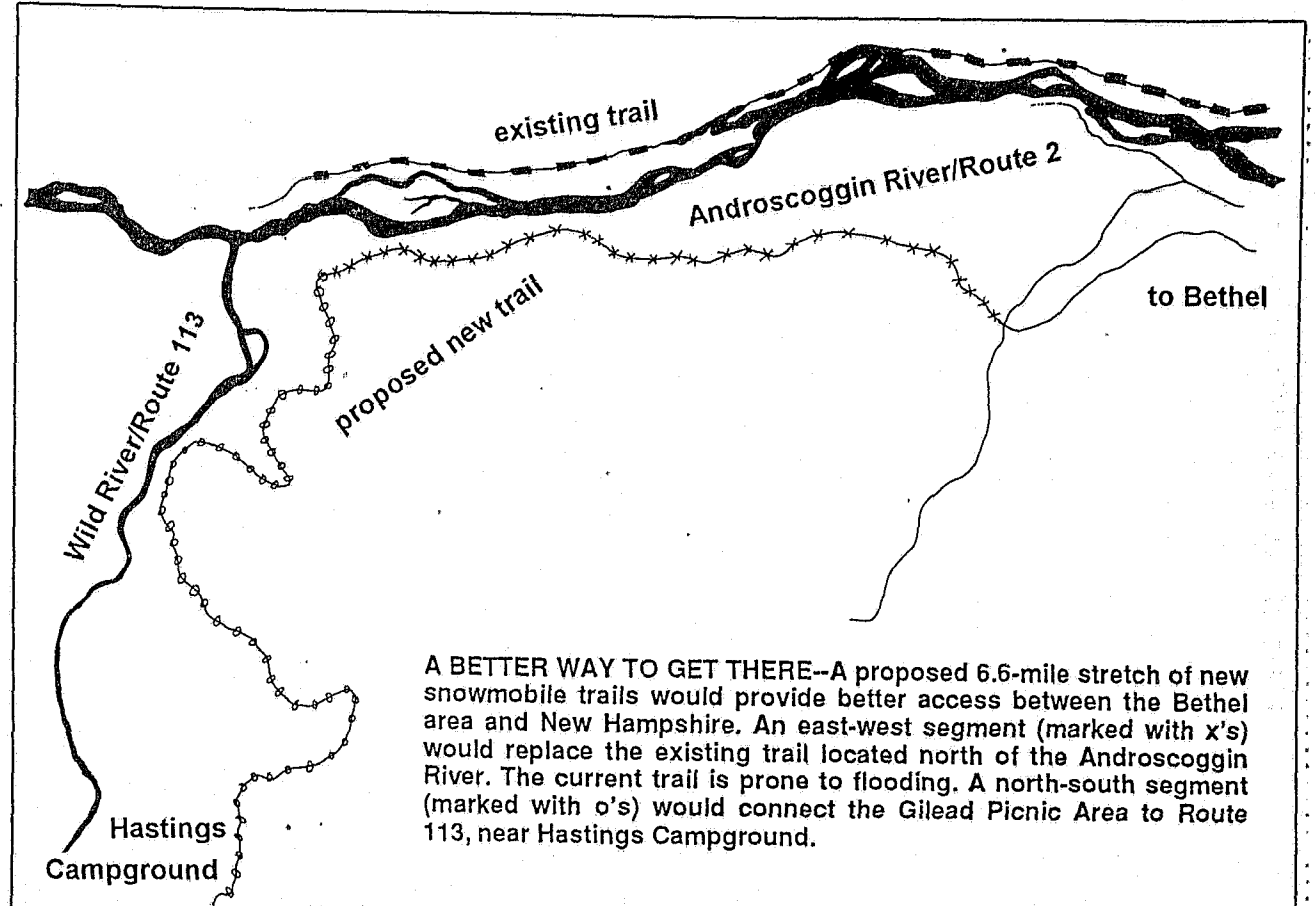
The new trails are intended to improve overall safety and provide economic stimulus for the Gilead area. But, Davis said, he does not expect a large increase in the snowmobile traffic as a result of the improvements.

Snowmobile club members were reluctant to discuss the proposal

publicly until any landowner concerns are satisfied.

Robert Lowell of the Bethel Snow Twisters did say that relocating the current trail along the Androscoggin "needs to be done" for safety reasons.

Davis said a decision on the project may be forthcoming in two or three weeks.



A BETTER WAY TO GET THERE—A proposed 6.6-mile stretch of new snowmobile trails would provide better access between the Bethel area and New Hampshire. An east-west segment (marked with x's) would replace the existing trail located north of the Androscoggin River. The current trail is prone to flooding. A north-south segment (marked with o's) would connect the Gilead Picnic Area to Route 113, near Hastings Campground.

Newry

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into the town's final tax rate calculations because the state is effectively paying taxes on it -- to the tune of a \$6,723 total.

Newry's 1998 tax commitment comes to \$1,878,580, and includes \$85,559 in overlay funds. Last year's commitment was \$1,801,615. The increase comes primarily from school and county tax increases.

Tax bills are expected to go out

Aug. 12. Bills paid by Sept. 11 receive a 2 percent discount, while those paid after Oct. 1 will be assessed a 10.75 percent interest penalty.

In Woodstock, town manager Vern Maxfield expects a mill rate "in the vicinity of 15 mills." But, he stressed, the final figure is yet to be determined.

The town underwent a revaluation this year, and has also added some

property, Maxfield said.

Comparing mill rates among towns is not always an apples-to-apples proposition. But the difference between Newry and its neighbors is noteworthy simply for the sheer size of the gap.

Looking at other towns besides Woodstock, Greenwood's 1998 tax rate has been set at 16.2 mills, up from 15.4. In Bethel, last year's rate was 14.55.

Rollover

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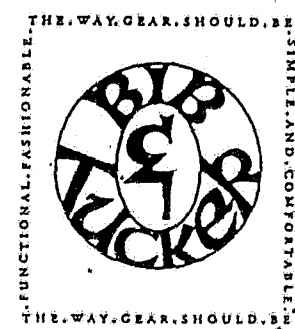
Other 18-wheeler rollovers on the turn have included a truck carrying paper goods in July 1996, and a truck carrying plastic sleds in 1994. In the three accidents, any injuries

involved only the driver. But local officials have said it's only a matter of time before a chemical spill occurs, or an oncoming motorist is struck by an out-of-control truck.

Maxfield said MDOT has made tentative plans to put up flashing lights this fall to warn drivers about the sharp turn.

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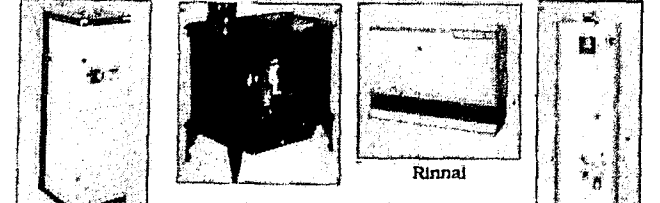
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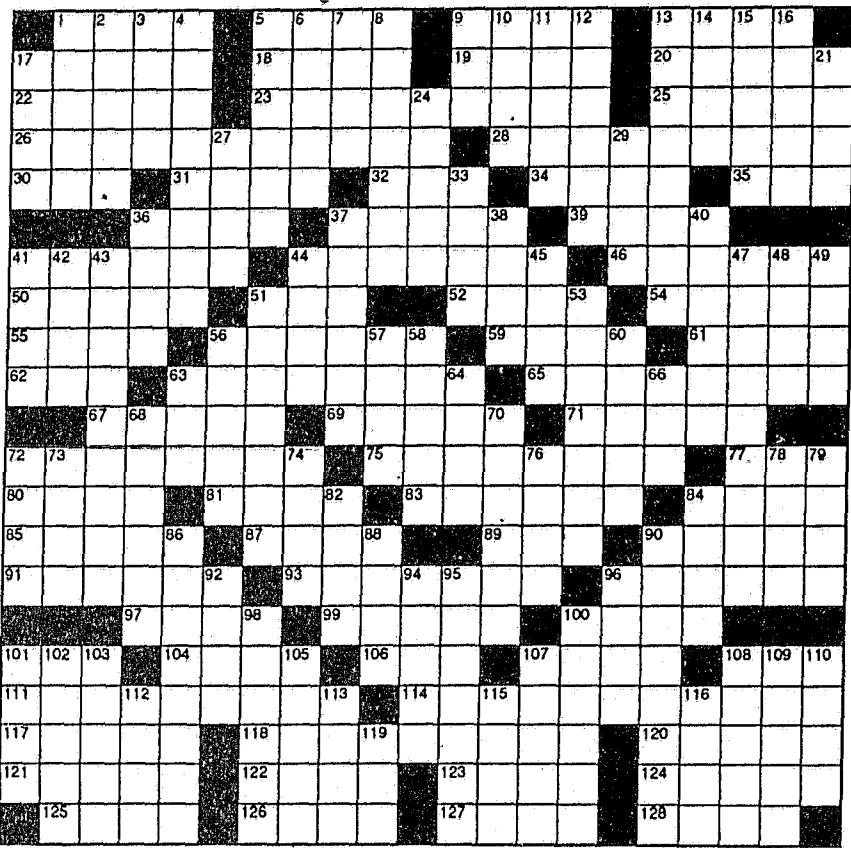
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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston
Helen Cummings, Joy Harding of Grand Junction, Colo., and Betty Hollis of South

Paris enjoyed lunch together on Thursday. Joy is spending a couple weeks with Butch and Esther Fuller in Locke Mills.

Alberta Olson underwent surgery on Tuesday at CMMC in Lewiston. Her son, Neil Griffin from Colorado, is visiting in the area.

Barbara and Harvey Sweetser and Tom Sweetser attended Mitchell Sweetser's wedding in Auburn on Saturday, the 25th.

Jane Young and daughter Kathy of Naples attended "Show Boat" at Brunswick Theatre on Tuesday.

Jim Stoner is doing well at the Barron Center in Portland. His address is: Barron Center, 1145 Brighton Avenue, Portland, ME 04102 (phone: 823-0590).

Bud and Joan Howe took their grandchildren, Jason and Britney Howe, fishing for mackerel this past week.

Nathan Greenleaf of Lovell, son of Eldon and Ann Greenleaf, is crew chief for Dale Shaw Race Car of North Conway. They won the race at the Busch North Series on Sunday at the New Hampshire International Speedway.

The annual Mundt-Allen American Legion picnic was held at Henry Brook Campground, Hanover, Sunday and was well attended. Susan Davidowitz and sister Dorothy of Salem, Mass, called on

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lowe of Oxford visited Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lorraine Rodak and son, Michael, of Hackensack, N.J., are guests of their aunt and uncle, Rodney and Gerry Howe, this week.

If you're having trouble contacting Ginny for the news (824-2661), she's out in the blackberry patch picking berries.

Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings

Much credit should be given to Lindley Wieden for getting mail delivered to residents of the Bethel House. Delivery started on July 27.

Lindley started to try to get the mail delivered up here in 1996 and he worked first with Liz Tarpy and later with our present manager, Jean Palanza. There may have been others involved in trying to get the mail delivered, but it was Lindley that started the ball rolling.

Not all residents chose to have their mail delivered here. But for those that did, their mailing address will be 56 Main Street, their apartment number, Bethel, ME 04217-4044.

My new address will be 56 Main Street, Apt. B5, Bethel, ME 04217-4044.

When the Bethel House first started back in January of 1983, Roger and Amy Hanscom were among the first residents. At that time Roger asked about mail delivery here and was told the place was too close to the post office. Lindley and others had a long, hard fight but won at last. Sylvia Clark spent and afternoon

with me recently.

Margaret Quinlan and Tom Russell have been recent visitors of Irene Russell.

Larsen and Lillian Kjellman spent a weekend recently with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kjellman and Cecilia came up on Sunday, and Larsen and Lillian returned with them.

This spring Jean Palanza planted flowers and put up some hanging baskets at the Bethel House. The flowers are beautiful now.

Ann Roy spent an evening with me recently. She took me to Breaux's and treated me to a dairy joy for a ride around Songo and then we played cribbage. Ann won two out of three.

Sonny and Nancy Cummings, Ruth Sorofman, George Cummings and I went for a ride one evening. Sonny drove up over Bird Hill as far as he could go from the Locke Mills end and then to the Gore Road and up that end as far as he could. Years ago the road could be traveled all the way through.

On another occasion we went to the Frozen Logger for dinner and then we went riding around again. Hello, Linda. It was certainly nice talking with you the other afternoon down by the Foodliner. Glad you enjoy my column.

Pastor Rick's topic for Sunday, July 26, was "Don't Worry Be Reassured." Pastor Rick also led the singing, as Shane Clarke was absent.

Josephine Lougee, her daughter Marjorie and Marjorie's friend of Rochester, N.H., visited Rebecca Ricker at the Bethel House recently.

Clara Whitman of Bryant Pond and Rebecca Ricker were in Gorham, N.H., shopping recently.

George Cummings has returned to California and Brian, Philip and Jason Thorne have returned to Alabama after spending some time with Sonny and Nancy Cummings. Jean Palanza was at the Bethel House recently setting out more flowers.

Vada Glover visited me on Tuesday. We went to visit Rodney Hanscom and we played cribbage; now at 805 games, Vada is one ahead. We went for a ride up on Howe Hill. We ate at the Frozen Logger.

Irene Russell is now getting her mail delivered at the Bethel House. Her new address is 56 Main Street, Apt. B10, Bethel, ME 04217-4044. No need to put Bethel House in the address.

A cookout was given for Bethel House residents on July 30. Dana Rowe cooked chicken, hamburgers and hot dogs on the grill, assisted by Jean Palanza. Some made salads, macaroni and cheese and desserts. There were also potato chips, pickles, coffee and cold drinks. A great time was had by those attending. Those attending were Duane Winslow, Eva Lane, Irene Russell, Ruth Silver, Ruth Cummings, Carolyn Chase, Pauline Wieden, Lindley Wieden, Raymond Swan and Everett Cole and of course Jean Palanza and Dana Rowe.

Cathy Newell visited me on Thursday.

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East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer
The Public Works inmates finished painting the Grange Hall on Aug. 1, they have done a very

good job.

Alder River Grange will have a yard sale on Aug. 15. We need items (no clothing, please) to sell, if you have no further use for them. Call Stan Howe (824-2291), Jim Lowe (824-3107) or Nancy Mercer (824-3350) if you need the items picked up, or leave them with Stan Howe in Bethel or Nancy Mercer in East Bethel. Tables are available for \$5. Call the numbers above.

Voices Production Company, a New Jersey/Bethel collaboration, will have a production at Alder River Grange Hall Aug. 6 at 8 p.m. and Aug. 7 at 8:30 p.m. They will be at Sudbury Canada Days on Aug. 8. The production is called "Voices of the Androscoggin River Valley." There are Telstar High School students with New Jersey high school students in the presentation.

Polly Smith returned home last evening to find a bucket of blueberries from Donna Bernard.

Neil Olson's Trappers Weekend will be Aug. 14-16 at his place.

Ceylon Kimball of West Virginia visited his parents, Richard and Pat Kimball, recently.

Arlene Harrington will host the Remington/Harrington Reunion on Aug. 16.

On Aug. 2, Arlene Harrington helped her great-granddaughter celebrate her first birthday in

Andover. She is Richard and Jennifer Merrill's daughter.

Jerry Bernier is home until Sept. 1. He enjoyed the cruise, but is glad to be home.

Peggy Coolidge is doing much better now that the "muggies" have left and we have dry air.

Alder River Grange lost a very good and helpful member on Aug. 2. Ivy Philbrook passed away after a long fight with problems caused by diabetes.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley
Call to Worship at the Newry Community Church was held at 9 a.m. on Sunday morning

with Pastor Rodney Hanscom at the pulpit and his daughter Nancy at the organ. Prelude by Jay Hanscom; hymn "How Great Thou Art" and responsive reading by Bob Munro. The Message of the Day was, "Choose" from Col. 2:6. "As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, So walk ye in him." There are plans for a picnic on Aug. 23; all are invited.

The Windy Valley's Sno-Mobile Club will meet on Tuesday night at 7 p.m. at the "Hut." If some members want to come early and bring sandwiches, a lot more work could be taken care of before the meeting.

I am hoping that the weekends will have nice weather so that I can have yard sales on Saturdays and Sundays from now on.

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Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

We were honored to have 29 members of George and Simone Hamel's family gather at the Ladies Aid Building on Sunday, July 26. They were celebrating Christmas in July. Although the Hamel family are predominantly French-Canadian, they were performing the traditional Observance of Wigla, or Polish Christmas Eve. Many ethnic Polish dishes, which do not contain meat, were served. Guests were from Berlin, Dummer, Milan, East Swanzey, Woodsville, and Candia, N.H., Shrewsbury and Wellesley, Mass. It was a wonderful event, and a first for the Ladies Aid Building.

Recently Margie and Bob Bernier of Sebago Lake visited Margaret Mitchell. They were traveling in their new Southwind motor home. Margie and Margaret worked together at Sylvania in Standish over 30 years ago. Margie was celebrating her second or third 39th birthday with her old friend. On a trip to the Balsams they saw the buffalo, outside of Errol, but had no luck spotting a moose. The two old friends had a wonderful time together.

This was a week of many events in surrounding towns. The first annual Wildlife Festival was held in Errol with many outstanding events. One-hundred and fifty people attended the Live Owl Show at the Errol Town Hall. The Loon Preservation Committee presented a slide show, "The Loons of Lake Umbagog," there were white water rides and many other activities. According to

Paul Casey, the Umbagog Wildlife Refuge manager, it was a highly successful day. This event was sponsored by the Umbagog Chamber of Commerce, Friends of Umbagog, and the New Hampshire Fish and Game.

Many of the Upton residents traditionally attend "Old Home Days" in Andover. The all-day flea market, town parade and the flower show are very popular. We thank the committee for the flower show for inviting us to enter flower arrangements. There are quite a few of the women in town that participate every year.

Simone Lavalley has retired from her position at the Balsams Hotel. They will have a difficult time finding someone to replace her. She can work circles around people half her age. Simone is the president of the Ladies Aid and works very hard every year to present the wonderful town supper. She may have retired from the Balsams, but I'll bet she will be working hard at something else.

We have been enjoying the best weather of the summer with warm days and cool nights. It rains a little every night. We do not allow it to rain in "camelot" during the day. Boating and fishing on the lake over the weekend were also the best of the season. Every camp and house seemed to have a couple of vans or cars out front and a boat on the water.

The E-911 committee met on July 28. They mapped out roads and named some. There will be a special Town Meeting on Thursday, Aug. 6, at 7 p.m. Citizens will be asked to vote on the E-911 Ordinance and the purchase of a new plow truck. At this meeting the people will approve or suggest names for roads on the map.

Now that August is here we are

enjoying the fresh garden vegetables. Some folks already have beans, peas and cukes, but the tomatoes still have that vile green look.

I had a tour of Joy Yarnell's garden last week and I know I am a little closer to heaven. The lilies and white roses are beautiful to behold.

Joan Miller has returned from her visit to Port Clyde.

Leslie and Andy Aron's daughters from Kentucky are visiting with them.

George Hamel had a night visitor on Wednesday last week. He thinks it was a bear because his bird feeder is long gone.

Andover



by Tina Farrington

Nature's Playground was the theme of Olde Home Days the past weekend. Some of the results are as follows:

Float winners: first, Percival family; second, Mills family; third, Farrington family; fourth, Akers/Cummings family; fifth, Andover Public Library; seventh, Steven Lee float.

The 50/50 raffle winner was Greig Simmons, winning \$285.50, and second prize was an Andover coverlet won by Louie Hall.

Golf distance contest to the pin was organized by Ron and Maureen Adams. Winners were: first, Kim Hall, \$100; second, Matt Bean, \$25 gift certificate to Teena's; third, Ben Bailey, two golf lessons from Oakdale Country Club.

The Garden contest was judged by a representative of the Oxford County Extension Service. Winners

in the flowers category were: first, Dinah Cutting; second, Laurie Vogt; third, tie between Leatrice Myshrahl and Ron and Maureen Adams. Winners in the vegetable category were: first, Wayne Delano; second, Sandra Standeven.

Arm wrestling was organized by Ed and Lori McPherson. Winners were: Boys 10-12, first, Simon Dumont; second, Kyle Dolloff; third, Jordan Smith. Boys 13-15 years: first, Adam Turner; second, Robie White; third, Mike Worcester.

Girls: first, Amanda Dolloff; second, DaMarie Moore; third, Katie Dolloff. Women: first, Jen Bailey; second, Robin Palmer; third, Shari Cochran. Men 150-175 pounds: first, Teague Berry; second, Matt Theriault; third, Brian Pingree. Men 175-200 pounds: first, Francis Dumont; second, Chuck Mason; third, Chris Szentle. Men 200 pounds and over: first, Francis Dumont; second, Jim Dumont; third, Ed McPherson. Open class: first, Fred McPherson; second, Greg Simmons; third, Brian Pingree.

The Cow Chip Flip was organized by Barb Bailey. Winners were: girls K-6, first, Sarah Mulcahey; second, Meagan Russell; third, Esther Pew. Boys K-6, first, Brock Merrill; second, Ben Chaisson; third, Tim Clark. Teens 7-12, first, Heather Jordan; second, Melissa Bailey. Teens 13-17, first, Derrick Hoyt; second, Ben Bailey; third, Kevin Kimble. Ladies, first, Trisha Bean; second, Elaine Richard; third, April Richard. Men, first, Bill Bowley; second, David Day; third, Joe Richard.

In addition to the above events, Wendy Green organized Children's Games, John Percival organized the Fly Casting Contest, Laurie Vogt organized the Doll Carriage/Bike Parade, and Jim Mulvaney the Photo

Contest displayed at the library. Mrs. Rodney Swain and daughter, Jennifer, of Jericho, Vt., arrived on July 31 at the Swain cottage at Roxbury Pond. Her husband, Rodney, had previously arrived to join his two brothers, Robert and Ross. Mrs. Swain and Jenny had gone golfing while in Vermont and a fox came on to the green and grabbed both of their golf balls and took off.

East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. July went by fast, didn't it?

On July 23 the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War Hannah F. Richardson Tent 19 met at the Knights of Pythias Hall for their regular meeting. President Eleanor Nelson opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m. with six members present. Bonnie Taylor served pro tem as secretary, Eloise Vail as treasurer, Heather Shugars as patriotic instructor and Frances Grant as guide and guard. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. Several items of business were taken care of during this meeting. It was reported that Carolyn Heino was in the hospital and flowers had been sent to her. General orders number two was received at this time and read.

After the meeting was adjourned, refreshments of cold drinks, sandwiches and cookies were served by Frances Grant and Eleanor Nelson. The next meeting will be at the K. of P. Hall on Aug. 27. There was no mystery package. On Aug. 8, the Stoneham Rescue

is serving a public spaghetti supper at the Rescue Barn from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The price is \$5 and \$2.50.

On Aug. 9, the McAllister Reunion will be held at the Stoneham Fire Station Meeting Room.

There will be a public supper at Hunt's Corner on Aug. 6 from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

The turkey supper in East Stoneham is going to be held on Aug. 13.

My desk calendar is so full of dates and scribbles, I can hardly read it.

Camp Susan Curtis is having the "Little Red Wagon" program on Aug. 5 at 10 a.m.

On Tuesday, July 28, 13 members of the Stoneham Volunteer Firemen met for their meeting at the Fire Station. They have bought a new generator so as to be able to do more in case the power goes off like in this past January's ice storm. A new member, Joshua Johnson, was taken in at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Rowe are at home now after being in California to attend the wedding of their granddaughter, Katie Rowe to Randy Fields. They will be living in Richmond, Va., and she will be attending medical school there.

Don't forget Beano games are Tuesday nights at the Stoneham Rescue Barn at 7 p.m.

Our sympathy and prayers are with the family of Nate Smith and also the family of Manley Kimball, who passed away recently.

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Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt
Judith Grover Tent 17 will hold their Aug. 10th meeting with Leatrice Chase at Chase's Camp on South Pond. There will be a 5 p.m. picnic with the tent buying the hamburger, hot dogs and rolls. Each one is to bring a salad, dessert or drink.

On Saturday, July 25, Ralph, Joyce and Scott Hoyt, Erica, Farrah Hoyt and children, Donald, Andi Hoyt and grandchildren, Ken and Alice Hoyt and Marybeth Hoover attended the McDonald reunion at the Mexico recreation field.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Andrew Hayes in his recent death, Malinda Seames and family in the death of her father, to the family of Ruth Dunham in her recent death and to the family of Barbara Felt in her recent death.

Stratton hide-a-way. Vance and Connie Bacon attended a family reunion on Thompson Pond on Sunday. There were 80 or so relatives in attendance. Ken Bacon attended the group, also.

The Crafty Women met with June Demarest on Thursday to make cards with pressed flowers. Those present were Cynthia Lamb, Lempi Cyr, Ginny Hyam from Auburn, Miriam Inman and Joyce Lamb. It was a fun afternoon.

Bill and Virginia Aridas are entertaining company from Florida for the weekend. They have never been to New England, so we hope they will like Maine. They will probably be cold.

Songo Pond



by Alice Kimball
With daughter Dottie Adams of Hanover we went to Unity last Saturday to attend another wedding in the Hunter family. It was held in the Quaker Hill Church where I used to go to church and Sunday school many years ago. The reception was in the Masonic hall in Thorndike.

Miss Kaitlyn Gatchell of Portland was an overnight visitor of her grandparents, the Dave Salways. Tuesday, Norma drove her to Windham to meet her mother on Wednesday.

Matthew, Daniel, and Brittany Eichel and their friend, Kindel Reed, have been visiting their grandparents, Bob and Mary Eichel. They came up from Grapevine, Texas, and really appreciated the cooler "Maine temperatures." Wayne and Diane Eichel came on Tuesday -- all returned to Texas on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Salway and little son, Kyle, were visitors of the Dave Salways an evening this week on their way home to Old Orchard Beach from Montreal, Canada.

This week at the

Moses Mason House

Final plans are falling into place for the 19th annual Sudbury Canada Days on Aug. 7 to 9. Flowers are still needed for the flower show and should be at the Dr. Mason House between 9 a.m. and noon. Local art for the art show is always welcome.

Participants for the Old Time Variety Show on Saturday night, beginning at 7 p.m., are still being sought. Anyone wishing to be considered should call the Bethel Historical Society office at 824-2908.

Traditional craftspeople, participants in the horseshoe, croquet, and badminton tournaments, children for the children's parade and games are urged to be part of this summer heritage festival.

Mister Mark's Mighty Music Machine will provide the music Saturday afternoon. The Mahosuc Musicians will perform later in the evening. The group producing the Voices of the Androscoggin will also be part of the Old Time Variety Show.

Food and drink will be served during Saturday afternoon from the 1922 Mount Zircon Bottle Lunch Stand on the Hastings Homestead property. There will be an open house at the 1895 Lower Sunday River Schoolhouse on Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m.

Singers are needed for the old-time hymn sing at the Middle Intervale Meeting House at 7 p.m., which will be the concluding event of the weekend. Volunteers are always needed and anyone wishing to help is urged to call the society office.

From the

Bethel Area C. of C.

We all took a deep breath this week, enjoying our first week in a month where we didn't have an event to run. Many thanks to all the volunteers throughout July and the preparatory months leading up to it who enabled these events to happen. The chamber staff could not do it without you. Also, thanks to Michele Varuolo who boosted our drooping spirits by sending flowers -- it helped.

Speaking of volunteers, mark your calendars if you are interested in serving at the "Big E" -- the Eastern States Exposition in West Springfield, Mass. The dates are Sept. 18 to Oct. 4.

Bethel Heritage Days Festival, Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 29 and 30 is coming along. Next meeting is Wednesday, Aug. 19, at noon at the Evans Notch Ranger Station/Maine Visitors Information Center on Route 2. Deadline to include your event in the promotional flyer is Friday, Aug. 14. Call the chamber at 824-2282.

Welcome aboard to the following new chamber members: Deepwood Farm, Maine Country Market, Bull Moose Campground & Lodge, Net2Market.com, Ted Chadbourne's real estate business, and Fairpoint. Deepwood Farm offers expert horseback riding instruction and trail rides. Maine Country Market will be located at the former Rhea Lu's site having fresh food and gourmet-prepared entrees for eat-in or take home as well as premium wine and beer, and delivery. Bull Moose Campground & Lodge is just over the Maine border from Upton in Cambridge, N.H. There are 11 sites and seven rooms, and it is across the road from Lake Umbagog. Net2Market.com is an Internet consulting and marketing company offering services in web site publishing, hosting, marketing and management. Ted Chadbourne, formerly a retired supporter of the chamber has rejoined as a realtor, offering choice home sites in Bethel, Newry, Harrison, and Rumford.

Jug Band at gazebo

Zingo Zango Generic Jug Band has been invited to add their zany talents to the Mahosuc Arts Council's Gazebo Series. This award-winning jug band has appeared throughout New England spreading their high energy and musical talent to audiences of all ages.

On Sunday, Aug. 9, Zingo Zango will be cranking out good old-fashioned fun at 4 p.m. on the Bethel Common. Their refreshing blend of nostalgic old, humorous new, and original novelty songs are punctuated with assorted kitchen tools, tin cans, spray cans, whistles, whizzers, bubbles and bells to enhance the more traditional acoustic jug sounds of bass, guitar, mandolin, squeezebox and washboard. This promises to be a truly entertaining interactive family show, featuring songs of lost pigs, lost love and lady truckers, using this bewildering array of musical instruments.

Dedicated to preserving this uniquely American form of musical expression, fun is the key reason the Zingos are so effective in this quest. Audiences are powerless to have anything but a good time. Zingo Zango's performance concludes the Gazebo Series and is a highlight that you won't want to miss.

From the

Telstar Alumni Association

Classmates who are planning to attend the Class Reunion this weekend, need to confirm their response no later than Thursday to Rhonda Buker (824-3076). We have found that there were many people who did want to attend but thought the deadline had gone by or were just planning on showing up Saturday night. Please let us know (if you can) so that we can let Sunday River know how many to provide food for. For those of you who lost your slip and information, here it is again:

Date: Saturday, Aug. 8.
Place: Jordan Grand Resort Hotel (Sunday River).
Time: 8 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Entertainment: Featuring DJ/Teacher Bill Morton.
Catered hot and cold hors d'oeuvres, cash bar. Cost: \$20.

Teachers who were at Telstar High School during the years of 1973, 1978 and 1983 are also encouraged to attend and enjoy the company of Telstar alumni. Please respond to Rhonda Buker as well. It's not too late. Don't forget the Telstar Alumni Association is also planning a fun-filled family day at Telstar all day on Saturday. Plan on bringing the family and having a great time during the day as well. The cost for the day's activities is free (donations welcome).

TELSTAR FIELD HOCKEY PRACTICE STARTING

Practice for the 1998 Telstar High School field hockey team begins on Monday, Aug. 17 at Telstar. Weekday practices are scheduled for 5 to 8 p.m. for seniors and 5:30 to 8 p.m. for underclassmen. Sneakers, cleats and mouthguards are required.

The team's first fundraising bottle drive will take place Saturday, Aug. 29.

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Community Calendar

Activities

Saturdays, 9 to 12 a.m.--Bethel Farmers Market at Bethel Family Health Center parking lot. During June there will be plants, seedlings, herbs, perennials, rhubarb, early vegetables and crafts.

The Computer Lab at the Learning Center open to adults during center hours and additional evenings. Learning Center volunteer Frank Gibson III will assist in lab Monday mornings. The lab will also be open Mondays and Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for adult use with Joe Vedella as lab manager. Additional hours will be scheduled on weekly basis. No charge for lab use, but all users must complete a District Acceptable Use Policy and provide their own floppy disk.

Tuesdays--A Course in Miracles study group meets 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Ripley Center, 52 High Street, South Paris. Newcomers welcome. Teaches how to heal relationships by changing one's perception. For information call (743-9373).

Mondays and Wednesdays--Alcohol/Drug Treatment Program available at Bethel Family Health Center. For information call 743-7580.

Thursdays--Pie and Bake Sale, 1 p.m., at Bethel Methodist Church.

Fridays and Saturdays thru Aug., 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.--West Bethel Union Church and Pleasant Valley Grange 50-percent-off sale of cottons, blends and notions at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall.

Thru Aug. 18--"Backyard Explorers!" The McLaughlin Foundation's (97 Main Street, South Paris) first summer outdoor education program, for children 8 to 12. \$6 per class or \$30 for the six-week series, includes all materials and a mid-morning snack. The children will explore and learn about the environment from their own backyards.

Thursday, Aug. 6, Hunt's Corner Church Supper, Albany, at 5:30 p.m. Cost: \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for under 10.

Bethel Historical Society monthly meeting will feature a panel discussion in honor of Bethel Inn's 85th anniversary at 7:30 p.m. at the Inn. For more information, or to participate on the panel, call 824-2908.

Aug. 6 (8 p.m.)--Aug. 7 (8:30 p.m.)--Aug. 8 (evening)--"Voices of the Androscoggin Valley," a documentary drama with slide photos based on interviews with area residents will be presented on Aug. 6 and 7 at Alder River Grange, East Bethel, and Aug. 8 on the Moses Mason House lawn. Call 824-2709 for further information.

Friday, Aug. 7, 7 p.m.--The annual Hall Memorial Lecture, featuring a presentation by Joan Radner, professor of literature at American University, "Performing the Paper: Village Learning and Laughter in Postbellum Western Maine," will be held at Bethel Historical Society's Dr. Moses Mason House.

Experience the energy and hilarity of "Instant Comedy" at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, at 8 p.m. Tickets: \$12 or Circle of Friends Pass. Western Foothills Land Trust annual meeting, 7 p.m. at the McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris. For more information, call 743-8820.

Aug. 7-9, Sudbury Canada Days at Bethel Historical Society. Activities for everyone. For more information, call the society at 824-2908.

Saturday, Aug. 8, 5:30 p.m.--Spaghetti Supper at Stoneham Rescue Station. Adults, \$5; children under 12, \$2.50.

Telstar Alumni Day--annual meeting 10 a.m., barbecue at 11:30 a.m. and from noon to 4 p.m. entertainment by Ross Timberlake, Ronnie Mills and other talented alumni. Supervised games for children and volleyball challenge.

Annual Ellingwood Reunion will be held at the home of Jerry Ellingwood, 440 Crockett Ridge Road, Norway (turn off Route 117-118 by Norway Lake for Crockett Ridge). Anyone with connection to the Ellingwood families, please come and bring a picnic lunch. Sodas provided. Lots of activities. For information call 674-2631.

"Talkies" will perform folk music of England, Ireland and Scotland from 16th to 19th centuries at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, at 8 p.m. Tickets: \$12 or Circle of Friends Pass.

"Painting a Maine Garden," 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. workshop at McLaughlin Foundation Garden & Horticultural Center, South Paris, for adults (\$10 donation includes afternoon tea). Children's painting workshops all day. For information, call 743-8820.

Aug. 8-9, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.--Wilhelm Reich Museum, Rangeley, will hold its two annual flea markets (giants this year). Something for everyone. Rain or shine. For information, call 864-3443.

Sunday, Aug. 9, 4 p.m.--Zingo Zango Generic Jug Band concert at the gazebo on Bethel Common (rain site: Gould Academy Bingham Auditorium). Sponsored by Mahoosuc Arts Gazebo Series. Public invited.

Tuesday, Aug. 11, 5:30 p.m.--Supper/Dance at Jackson-Silver Post and Unit 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills.

Wednesday, Aug. 12, 11 a.m.--Bethel Senior Citizens Club picnic at Stony Brook Campground, Hanover. Hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks will be furnished. Please bring salad or dessert to share and a lawn chair.

Denmark Arts Center, Route 160, Denmark, will present "Peace Fleece," a felting demonstration, slide show and talk, 6:30 to 9 p.m. Free will donation accepted.

Thursday, Aug. 13, 5 to 6:30 p.m.--Turkey Supper (turkey, mashed potato, gravy, stuffing, corn-on-the-cob, desserts, beverages) at East Stoneham Church. Cost: \$6 for adults and \$3 for under 12.

Thursday, Aug. 13 and Saturday, Aug. 15, 10 a.m.--Charles A. Cutting Estate Auction in Andover.

Friday, Aug. 14, 8 p.m.--New Black Eagle Jazz Band will play at Deertrees Theatre in Harrison. Tickets: \$16.

Saturday, Aug. 15, 8 p.m.--Keith and Carolyn Carreiro, a duo with classical guitar and folk and blues original songs, will be featured at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$12 general, \$8.50 with Circle of Friends Pass.

"Tales from the Script," sponsored by Friends of Errol Public Library at Errol Town Hall, 1 p.m. See children's literature brought to life through storytelling, music, juggling and a bit of audience participation. Free. For more information, call 603-482-7720 or 3837.

Public Supper, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at Denmark Arts Center, Route 160, Denmark. Cost: \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children. Auction at 7 p.m. Come for an evening of fun. All proceeds to benefit the center.

"Growing Grapes in Maine" --afternoon lecture and wine tasting at McLaughlin Foundation, 97 Main Street, South Paris.

Sunday, Aug. 16 (rain date, Aug. 23), Benefit Auction at Dixfield Historical Society, 63 Main Street. Preview 8 to 11 a.m. Donations welcome. Contact 562-7066 for information.

The Gerwick Puppets Show, "Aladdin and the Magic Lamp" will be presented at Denmark Arts Center, Route 160, Denmark at 7 p.m. Adults, \$5; children, \$3. Enjoy a fun evening. For more information, call 452-2412.

Tuesday, Aug. 18, 5 to 6:30 p.m.--All-You-Can-Eat Buffet (baked beans, American chop suey, casseroles, salads, brown bread, rolls, beverages, dessert) at North Waterford Church (across from Tut's Store). Cost: \$6 for adults, \$3 for under 12.

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 7 to 8 p.m. following 5:30 p.m. free garden tour--McLaughlin Foundation, South Paris, will present a slide presentation, "Maine's Common Loon: How Common is it?" with Jean Preis (\$15). For information, call 743-8820.

Reach

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center--Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services--Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info. call 207-743-7580.

Veterans' Services

(State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Story hour for preschoolers, Thursdays, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Michelle Conroy, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tues., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Thurs., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fri., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 9:30 a.m. worship, July-Aug. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school.

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Lawrence Conley, Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist--Rev. Geraldine MacNeil, Pastor, 9 a.m. Sunday worship.

West Bethel Union--Rev. Joyce Scott, 9 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopal House Church--at Bohrs', on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of the month, 824-2913.

Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

Unitarian Universalist--Summer recess. Services resume in fall.

Andover

First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich. 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. beginning Oct. 21.

Calvary Congregational Church--Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., worship service 9:30 a.m., fellowship brunch following. Wed. nights, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Rev. Duane Waite.

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church--Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor.

Albany

Congregational Church--Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Bible study Tues. 7 p.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)--Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church--Route 117N, S. Paris, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10:15 a.m. worship followed by coffee fellowship. Summer service 9 a.m.

West Paris Baptist--Pastor Gordon DeHaas, Sunday worship 9 a.m., 6:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

North Paris Baptist--Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)--Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church--Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

Seasonal only:

Every Saturday: Bethel Farmers' Market, Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Locally grown produce and local goods.

Monthly Meetings

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: V.F.W., Lions' Hall, Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Vegetarian Eating Group meets at Cafe DiCocoa in Bethel from 5-7 p.m. Everyone welcome. For more info call 824-JAVA.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 665-2460.

Fibromyalgia Syndrome- Chronic Fatigue Syndrome meeting, Bethel Family Health Center, 7 p.m. For info, call 824-3232.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Bethel Airport Authority, 7 p.m. Call town office for meeting place in Feb. and March.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

Grief group (for the loss of a loved one) meets from 6-8 p.m. in the conference room of the Bethel Family Health Center.

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Windy Valley Snowmobile Club meets at Newry Town Office, 7 p.m.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church, Pollack luncheon.

Western Maine Foothills Toastmasters, 6:30 p.m., Dirigo High School, Dixfield. Call 562-4931 for info.

Second Wednesday: CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Crescent Park School conference room, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m. at 28 S. Main St. (Next meeting Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m.)

West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

Middle and High School Youth Groups, 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

St. Andrews Society meeting, 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (business meeting with lunch).

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

Last Saturday: Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.



BETHEL CITIZEN TV LISTINGS

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3 WSBK-TV 38, Boston	7 Sunday River Ski TV	12 WBN - Chicago	17- The Disney Channel*	22 ESPN	27 Arts & Entertainment (A&E)32	FAM	37 Discovery Channel	42 TLC
4 Channel IV, Bethel	8 WMTW, ABC, Auburn	13 WGME, CBS, Portland	18 Cinemax*	23 Financial	28 QVC Home Shopping	33 CNN Headline News	38 MTV Music Television	43 Weather
5 TBS	9 WPXT, FOX, Portland	14 SHOWTIME	19 FLIX	24 Nickelodeon	29 History	34 TNIN	39 Cable News Network (CNN)	44 Lifetime
	10 WCBH, PBS, Lewiston	15 HBO*	20 NESN*	25 American Movie Classics (AMC)	30 Inspirational Network	35 Video Hits - 1 (VH-1)	40 TNT	* Premium Channels

THURSDAY EVENING AUGUST 6, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "Rescue Me"				News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Rescue 911		Terrors of the Deep				Movie: "Lost Treasure of Dos Santos"		700 Club	
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Friends	Suddenly	Seinfeld	Just Shoot	ER		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Push		Summer Thursday	Nightline in Primetime	News			
(10)	News-Lehrer	RFD Maine	RFD Maine	Mystery!		Tell About the South			Red Green	
(22)	Sportsctr.	Sumo	Boxing: Jose Flores vs. Bronco McKart			Baseball Tonight		Sportscenter		
(34)	Waltons	Rodeo	Prime Time Country			Today's Country		Dallas		
(18)	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Promised Land			Diagnosis Murder		48 Hours	News	
(41)	Pennant	Sports	Boxing: Fight Time			Soccer: U.S. Open Semi.		Teams TBA		
(15)	Sinbad's Summer Jam 4: Soul Music Festival Cont'd		Movie: "Black Cat Run"			Avengers		Autopsy: Med.		
(17)	Movie: "Brothers of the Frontier"		"The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes"			Baggage	Darkwing	Walt Disney Presents		
(18)	Clear-Danger		Movie: "The Temp"			Making	Movie: "Dog Watch"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Detroit Tigers					FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		
(44)	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries			Movie: "The Babysitter's Seduction"		Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Griffith	Major League Baseball: Cincinnati Reds at Atlanta Braves				Movie: "The People Under the Stairs"				
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	HappyDay	HappyDay	HappyDay	HappyDay	HappyDay	Bewitched	
(25)	"Don't Bother to Knock"		Movie: "River of No Return"			Movie: "Niagara"		How to Marry		
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger			Movie: "Breach of Conduct"		Silk Stalkings		
(27)	Law & Order		Biography			Unexplained		Miss Marple	Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Movie: "Cousins"					News	Beverly Hills, 90210	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today			Larry King Live		Newsstand: E.W.	Sports	Moneyline

FRIDAY EVENING AUGUST 7, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "Don't Tell Mom the Babysitter's Dead"				News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder				Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0	700 Club
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	"Into the Arms of Danger: A Moment of Truth Movie"				Dateline		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Sabrina	You Wish	Boy-World	Assignment	20/20		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Keeping Up	Brittas	Faith	Goodnight	Dad's Army	Red Green
(22)	Sportsctr.	Billiards			Major League Soccer: D.C. United at Dallas Burn		Baseball		Sportscenter	
(34)	Waltons		Music City News Country Awards						Dallas	
(13)	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Kids Say	Candid C.			Unsolved Mysteries	Nash Bridges	News	
(41)	Major League Soccer: Clash at Revolution						This Week in NASCAR	Boxing: Fight Time		
(15)	Movie: "So I Married an Axe Murderer"						Movie: "Sleepers"			Dennis M.
(17)	Movie: "Blank Check"						Parent Trap	Movie: "You Lucky Dog"		WhatMess
(18)	"That Thing You Do!"						Movie: "Wedding Bell Blues"	Anaconda	Movie: "Anaconda"	Inside Out
(20)	Front Row	Spt Edge					Boxing: Fight Time		FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
(44)	Intimate Portrait						WNBA Basketball: Houston Comets at Detroit Shock	Unsolved Mysteries	Attitudes	Golden
(5)	Griffith	Griffith					Movie: "Fire Birds"		Major League Baseball	
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Kablarn!	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Bewitched
(25)	"All That Heaven Allows"						Movie: "The Grass Is Greener"	WENN	Movie: "Tales of Terror"	
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger				Movie: "Sneakers"			Turner
(27)	Law & Order		Biography				L.A. Detectives	Midsomer Murders	Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at St. Louis Cardinals					News	HoneyMn	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today				Larry King Live	World Today	Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING AUGUST 8, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Mad	Movie: "Chasers"				News	Cheers	Star Trek: Voyager	
(32)	"Doomsday Rock" Cont'd		Movie: "Sweet Deception"				Movie: "Diagnosis of Murder"			
(6)	Mad	Seinfeld	TV Censored Bloopers				Movie: "The Shadow"		News	Sat. Night
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funnest Home Videos				Movie: "Betrayed: A Story of Three Women"		News	Psi Factor
(10)	MadeInMe	True North	Anyplace	Wild World	Evening at Pops		Mr. Bean	MontyPyth	Austin City Limits	
(22)	Sr. Golf	Sportsctr.	Arena Football: Quarterfinal -- Teams to Be Announced				Baseball		Sportscenter	
(34)	Week-Country	Opry	Grand Opry				Stallor Bros.	Memories I	Opry	Grand Opry
(18)	Star Trek: Deep Space 9	Early Edition					Magnificent Seven	Walker, Texas Ranger	News	
(41)	Pro Beach Volleyball: AVP						Cycle World	Auto Racing: Legends Summer Shootout Series		
(15)	Movie: "Independence Day" Cont'd						Movie: "Contact"			
(17)	Movie: "The Mighty Ducks"						Movie: "D2: The Mighty Ducks"		Movie: "D3: The Mighty Ducks"	
(18)	"The Saint" Cont'd						Movie: "Hardbodies"	EscapeLA	Movie: "Perfect Target"	Price
(20)	Equestrian						Tennis: Nuveen Tour -- Semifinal		FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
(44)	"Shattering the Silence"						Movie: "Grass Roots"			
(5)	WCW Saturday Night						Movie: "Willow"		Movie: "Back to the Future"	
(24)	Doug	Beavers	Rugrats	All That	Kenan-Kel	Strange	Brady	WonderYr	HappyDay	Laveme
(25)	Movie: "The Alamo" Cont'd						Movie: "The Sins of Rachel Cade"		Movie: "The Alamo"	
(26)	Movie: "Patriot Games" Cont'd						The Net	Sins of the City	Movie: "Friday"	
(27)	Mysteries of the Bible						Biography This Week	Biography	America's Castles	
(12)	Major League Baseball: Anaheim Angels at Chicago White Sox							News	Coach	"Cujo"
(39)	Capital	Sports	World	Business	Larry King Weekend			World	Capital	Sports Tonight

SUNDAY EVENING AUGUST 9, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	"State of Grace" Cont'd		Children's Hospital				Wild Things		News	Viper
(32)	"Whose Child Is This? The War for Baby Jessica"						Movie: "Columbo: No Time to Die"		Hawaii Five-0	
(6)	Dateline						Movie: "The River Wild"		News	Outer Limits
(8)	"Far From Home: The Adventures of Yellow Dog"						Practice		News	Football
(10)	Ballykissangel						Science Odyssey		Nature	Mystery!
(22)	Sportsctr.	Baseball	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at San Francisco Giants						Sportscenter	
(34)	Outdoors	Bassmastr.	In-Fish	Bill Dance	Championship Rodeo		Hunting	Fishin'	Bill Dance	NASCAR
(13)	60 Minutes						Touched by an Angel		Movie: "Philadelphia"	News
(41)	Pennant	Golf Scene	This Is the PGA Tour				Soccer: U.S. Open Semi. -- Teams TBA		Sportswriters on TV	
(15)	Movie: "Fools Rush In"						Jerry Seinfeld	Sex and the City	Artiss	Fire Down
(17)	Omba	Muppets					Movie: "Backknobs and Broomsticks"		Ink & Paint Club	Zorro
(18)	"One Fine Day" Cont'd						Movie: "Courage Under Fire"		Movie: "Addicted to Love"	
(20)	USISL Soccer: A-League Match of the Week						Goin' Deep		FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
(44)	"The Sleep Room"						Movie: "Remembrance"		Intimate Portrait	Barbara W., Barbara W.
(5)	National Geo.						Movie: "Hook"		National Geo.	
(24)	My Brother	All That	Shelby Woo	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	I Love Lucy	Bewitched
(25)	Those-Fly, I Screen						Movie: "That Touch of Mink"		Movie: "The Young Philadelphians"	
(26)	WWF Sunday Night Heat						Pacific Blue		Silk Stalkings	The Net
(27)	Ancient Mysteries						More Great Escapes of World War II		Great Escapes of World War II	
(12)	Parent	Parent	Sister, Sis.	Smart Guy	Unhappily	Harvey		News	Replay	Riches
(39)	World	Sports	Perspectives				World Today		Newsstand: Time	Sports Tonight

MONDAY EVENING AUGUST 10, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	In House	Malcolm	Good News	Sparks	News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder				Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0	700 Club
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Suddenly				Movie: "Boys on the Side"			
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funnest Home Videos				20/20		Soaps-Love Stories	News
(10)	News-Lehrer		Science Odyssey						Final Target: Planet Earth	Dad's Army
(22)	Sportsctr.	Monday	WNBA Basketball: Sting at Comets						Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter
(34)	Waltons						Today's Country		Workin' Man: A Tribute to Merle Haggard	Dallas
(18)	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Cosby	Raymond	Raymond	Murphy			48 Hours	News
(41)	Sportswriters on TV						NFL Preseason Football: Minnesota Vikings at New England Patriots		Sports	Golf
(15)	Fields of Fire: Sports						Movie: "Murder at 1600"		Oz	Artiss
(17)	Movie: "Air Bud"						Young Musicians		Movie: "The Rescuers Down Under"	Movie: "Johnny Shiloh"
(18)	"Dear God" Cont'd						Movie: "Fist of the North Star"		5thElemnt	Movie: "Back in Business"
(20)	Front Row	Goin' Deep					Sports	Intervew	Front Row	FOX Sports News
(44)	Intimate Portrait						Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "A Family Divided"	Attitudes
(5)	Griffith	Griffith					Movie: "Little Big League"			Movie: "Weird Science"
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Laverne	Laverne	Laverne	Laverne	Laverne	Laverne	Bewitched
(25)	"The Reptile" Cont'd						Movie: "A New Leaf"			Movie: "Portrait in Black"
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger				WWF Raw		WWF War Zone	Silk Stalkings
(27)	Law & Order		Biography				Investigative Reports		Polot	Law & Order
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	7th Heaven				Buffy the Vampire Slayer		News	Beverly Hills, 90210
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today				Larry King Live		Newsstand: Time	Sports

TUESDAY EVENING AUGUST 11, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Moeha	Clueless	In House	Clueless	News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder				Movie: "Sweet Deception"			700 Club
(6)	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Mad	Newsradio	Frasier	3rd Rock	Dateline		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Home Imp.	Soul Man	Spin City	Dharma	Maximum Bob		News	
(10)	News-Lehrer		Science Odyssey				Nova		Dad's Army	Red Green
(22)	Sportsctr.	World's Strongest Man	Billiards: 9-Ball				Strongman		Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter
(34)	Waltons		Country Salutes Elvis				Hello Darlin': A Tribute to Conway Twitty		Dallas	
(13)	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	JAG				Movie: "An Element of Truth"		News	
(41)	Golf	Golf	Goin' Deep				This Week in NASCAR		Auto Racing: Legends Summer Shootout Series	
(15)	Independ	Trevor					Movie: "Contact"		SexCity	"Conspiracy Theory"
(17)	Homeward Bound: Incredible Journey						Movie: "The Shaggy Dog"		Timon	Shnookums
(18)	"Airplane II: The Sequel"						Movie: "Anaconda"		Anaconda	Movie: "Escape From L.A."
(20)	Major League Baseball: Kansas City Royals at Boston Red Sox								FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
(44)	Intimate Portrait						Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Race Against Time: The Search for Sarah"	Attitudes
(5)	Griffith	Griffith					Movie: "The Breakfast Club"			Major League Baseball: Braves at Padres
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	Brady	Brady	Brady	Brady	Brady	Brady	Bewitched
(25)	"Day of the Bad Man"						Movie: "Reap the Wild Wind"		DeMille Dynasty	Movie: "Oklahoma!"
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess		Walker, Texas Ranger				Boxing: Hector Camacho vs. Tony Menefee		Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Law & Order		Biography				Inside Story		Inspector Morse: Wolverine	Law & Order
(12)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Buffy the Vampire Slayer				Dawson's Creek		News	Beverly Hills, 90210
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today				Larry King Live		World Today	Sports

WEDNESDAY EVENING AUGUST 12, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Sentinel	Star Trek: Voyager			News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV...
(32)	Rescue 911	Diagnosis Murder					Hawaii Five-0	700 Club		
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	3rd Rock	Working	3rd Rock	Stressed	Raising-Titanic	News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dharma	Two Guys	Drew Carey	Whose?	Primetime Live	News		
10	Newshour-Lehrer	Science Odyssey					National Geographic	Dad's Army	Red Green	
(22)	Sportsctr.	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced						Major League Baseball: Teams TBA		
(34)	Waltons	Tribute-Potter Wagoner		Barbara Mandrell and the Do-Rites: The Last Dance			Dallas			
13	Frasier	Entl. Tonight	Nanny	Style	Public Eye		Chicago Hope	News		
(41)	This Week in NASCAR	Motorsports Hour			Cycle World		Cycle World	This Is the PGA Tour		
(15)	Movie: "Berry Gordy's The Last Dragon"				Movie: "Double Team"			Avengers	Oz	
(17)	Land Before Time III	Movie: "The Brave Little Toaster"				WhatMess		Chip-Deale	Walt Disney Presents +	
(18)	"One Crazy Summer"	Movie: "Silent Fall"				Movie: "Forced Veigence"			Ma Saison.	
(20)	Major League Baseball: Kansas City Royals at Boston Red Sox						FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News	
(44)	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries		From Unsolved Mysteries: The Sleepwalker Killing				Attitudes	Golden	
(5)	Griffith	Movie: "Days of Thunder"						Movie: "One Good Cop"		
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	WonderYr	WonderYr	WonderYr	WonderYr	WonderYr	WonderYr	Bewitched
(25)	Stars and Stripes Forever	Movie: "Tammy and the Bachelor"				Movie: "Pillow Talk"		"The Glenn Miller Story"		
(26)	Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger			Movie: "Contagious"			Silk Stalkings		
(27)	Law & Order	Biography			American Justice		Sherlock Holmes		Law & Order	
(3)	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Wayans	Jamie Foxx	Wayans		Harvey	News	Beverly Hills, 90210	
(19)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today	Larry King Live			Newsstand: Fortune	Sports	Moneyline	

Classifieds

Anticipated Openings

ED. TECH. III

Computer Technology Services

S.A.D. #44 is accepting applications for the positions of Ed. Tech. III for Computer Technology Services at Crescent Park School and at Telstar Middle/High School (two separate full-time positions) and Ed. Tech. III for Library & Computer Technology Services at the Andover School (part-time position). Minimum requirements for an Ed. Tech. III are 90 credit hours of post-secondary education. Interested applicants need to submit a letter, resume, and transcripts to:

Kent E. Rosberg, Superintendent
M.S.A.D. #44, 284 Walkers Mills Rd.
Bethel, ME 04217

Fax: (207) 824-2725 • E.O.E.

The Bethel Water District

is seeking proposals for
Fire Hydrant Clean-Up and Painting

Job Scope: (1) Clean & Prepare 63 hydrants for painting, (2) Paint hydrants red with paint that has U.V. Protection and rustinhibitor. The ground area around hydrant must be protected from overspray.

Submit proposal by 5 pm, August 17th to
Bethel Water District
PO Box 104
Bethel, ME 04217

Mark envelope "Hydrant Painting Proposal"



Western Maine Health

Exceptional care... exceptionally close.

Market Square Health Care Center, a premier nursing home located in beautiful Oxford Hills, is seeking the following:

HOUSEKEEPER

Part-time position (24 hours per week), available for energetic and team-oriented housekeeper. Will train. Part-time benefits available.

LAUNDRY AIDE

Part-time position available for a laundry aide, hours vary. Experience helpful, but will train.

DIETARY AIDE

Part-time position available for dietary aide, hours vary. Experience helpful, but will train.

If you are looking for an exciting opportunity to work in a team-oriented, quality driven environment, you are invited to submit your application to:

Human Resources
Western Maine Health
181 Main Street
Norway, ME 04268
fax: (207) 743-1584

EOE

Help Wanted

Beware of anyone who tries to sell you information about "undisclosed" government or postal job vacancies. The information is free. A public service message from the Federal Trade Commission.

GOOD FOOD STORE seeks retail clerk. Part-time, leading to full-time in September.

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Become a representative for Friendly Toys & Gifts, the number one company in party plan. Toys, gifts, Christmas home decor.

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Call Susan
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Will provide supplemental training to the right person. Pay relative to ability. Excellent benefit package and opportunity for growth. Send resume or pick up application at:

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Attn: Brian Richardson
416 Glen Avenue
Berlin, NH 03570 EOE

Town of Bethel PUBLIC WORKS EMPLOYEE

The Town of Bethel is accepting applications for a Public Works employee. Qualified applicants should have knowledge of heavy equipment operation, an active class II Maine drivers license with a clean driving record, and have the flexibility to work overtime during periods of adverse weather conditions.

Applications for this position may be obtained from the Bethel Town Office during normal business hours. Completed applications should be returned to the town no later than 5:00 pm, August 7, 1998.

Knowledge of natural foods, supplements, fine wines or cooking preferred. Apply in person.

WILDLIFE JOBS to \$21.60/hr. includes benefits. Game Wardens, security, maintenance, park rangers. No experience needed. For application and exam info call 1-800-813-3585, ext. 3211, 8 am - 9 pm, 7 days fds inc.

POSTAL JOBS to \$18.35/hr. includes benefits, no experience. For application and exam information, call 1-800-813-3585, ext. 3210, 8 am - 9 pm, 7 days fds inc.

PCA part-time. Weekday mornings. 875-2171.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT Job Opening

Town of Woodstock, Maine

The Town of Woodstock, Maine is currently seeking qualified applicants for a full time position on the highway department. This position requires a general knowledge of mechanics, heavy equipment usage, and a Class "A" license, however, a Class "B" license will be considered.

The Town offers 12 paid holidays & full family insurance coverage. Pay will be based on experience. This is a steady job with overtime during the winter months only. Experience is preferred.

Applications will be accepted until 5pm on Monday, August 10, 1998. For further information you may call the **Woodstock Town Office** at 207-665-2668.

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DEPENDABLE, HIGHLY MOTIVATED team player to work in a fast paced work environment at the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. Must be able to work some weekends and evenings. Wages based on flexibility and experience. Send resume and cover letter to PO Box 439, Bethel, ME.

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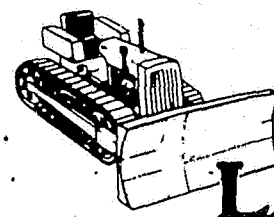
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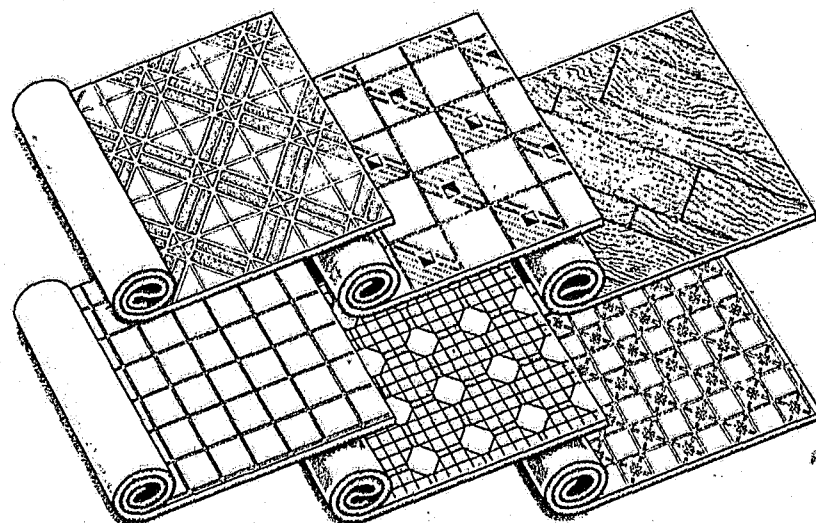
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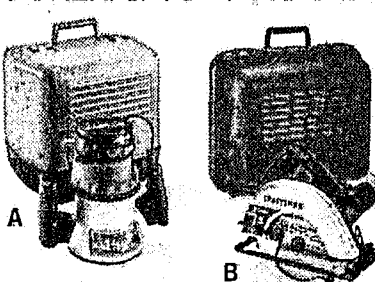
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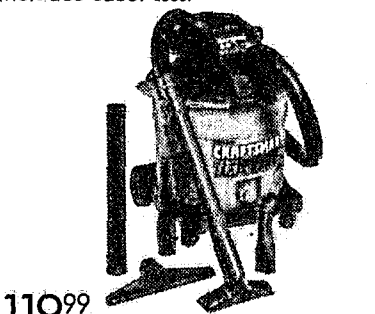
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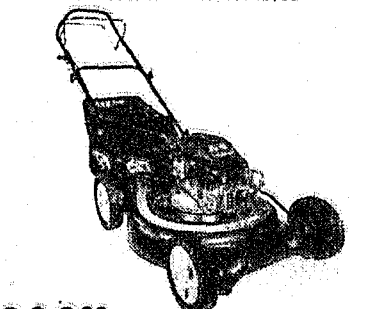


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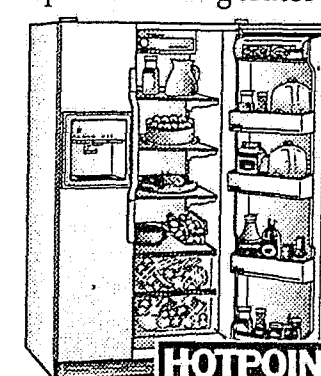
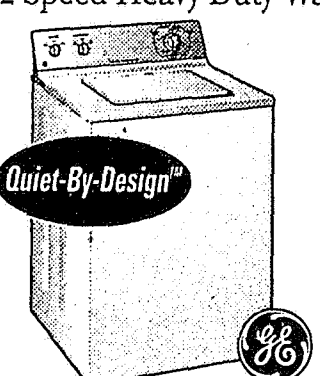
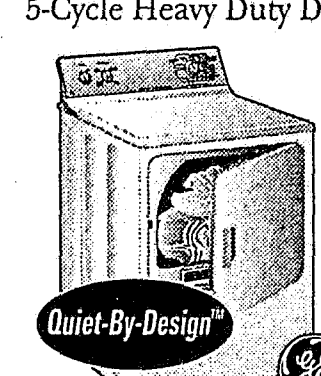
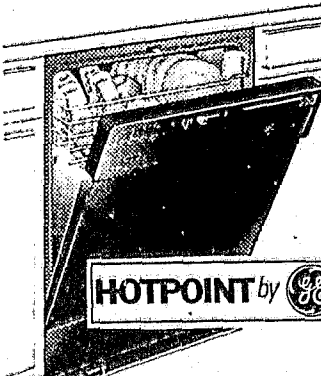
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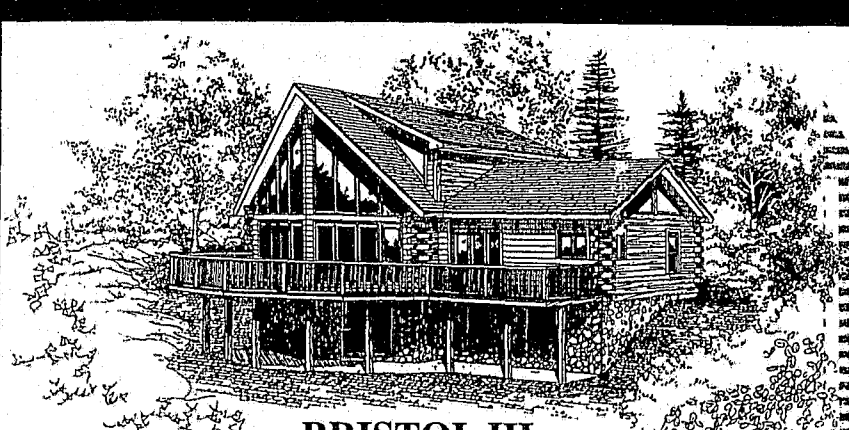
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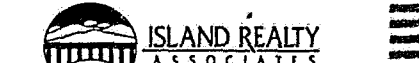


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Concord Pond, Woodstock: Cozy and comfortable 2 bedroom (potential for 3rd bedroom). Cottage situated on a private lot boasts 100' +/- water frontage (sandy beach) and lovely views across pond to area mountains. Gas utilities/no electric. Was \$69,000. Now \$49,000



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House Lots & Land

NEW LISTING - Birch Road, Greenwood

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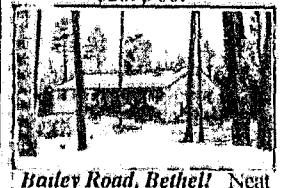
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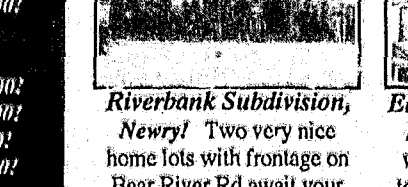
house, 2+/- acres, views and more!



Who needs Golden when you can have Howard! - Great Maine camp with prime waterfrontage on Howard Pond! A very nice piece of property for only \$114,900!



Country Charming in Hanover! Nice cape, Hanover village, 4 bdrm, 1.5 ba, great living space, garage, sunny decks and wonderful lot! Great location, privacy! Good buy at only \$119,900!



Riverbank Subdivision, Newry! Two very nice home lots with frontage on Bear River Rd await your building plans! Lot #4 - \$17,900!, Lot #5 - \$27,900!



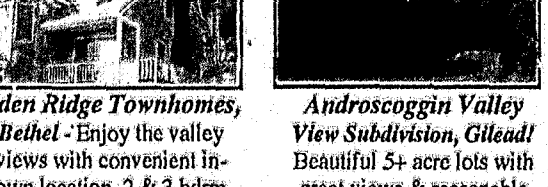
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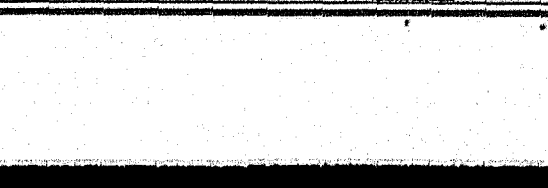
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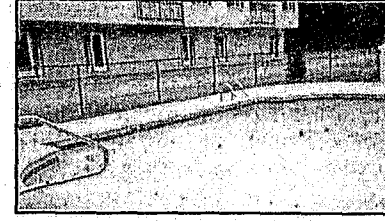
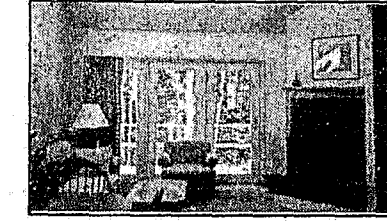
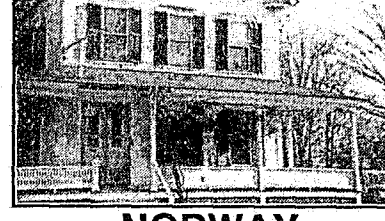
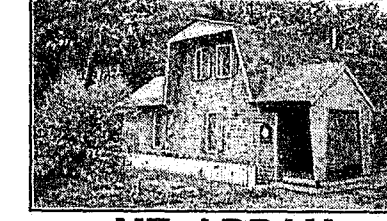
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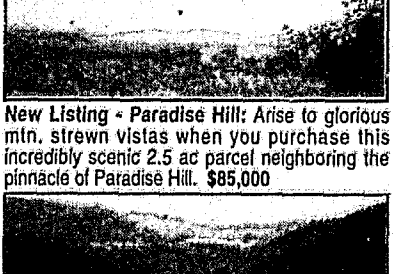
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New Listing - Paradise Hill: Arise to glorious mtn. stream vistas when you purchase this incredibly scenic 2.5 ac parcel neighboring the pinnacle of Paradise Hill. **\$95,000**

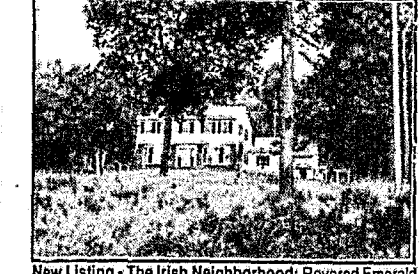
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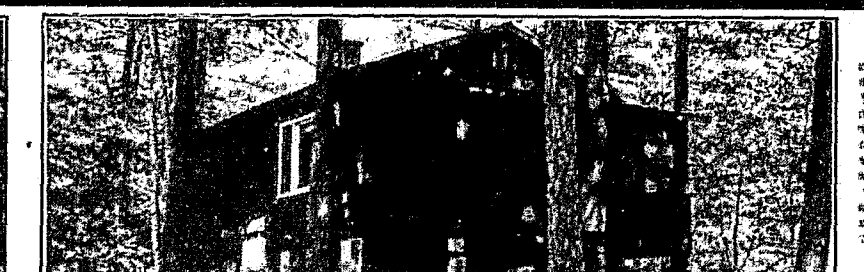
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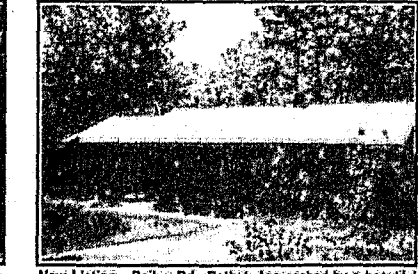
New Listing - The Irish Neighborhood: Revered Emerald Isle descendants would indeed be nostalgic after viewing this green terrain. This exquisite colonial offered on 1.5+/- acres blooming with colorful perennials, has been skilfully & lovingly constructed. Striking in design & mtnous setting, a well thought out flr plan boasts 4 BR's, 2 1/2 baths, spacious country kit, scenic & sunny LR & DR. **\$189,000**



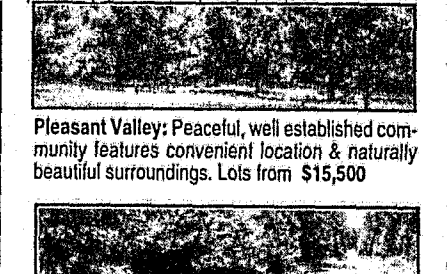
New Listing - Bailey Road, Bethel: Nestled in an exceptionally charming, sought after neighborhood only 1 1/4 mi. from Bethel Vill. discover this spacious contemp. circa 1988. Offering a space comb of rich pine paneled walls & cathedral ceilings, dispersed w/an abundance of sliding glass drs. skylights & windows. Great m/waig lg deck, entry area, 2 BR's, FR 2nd BR, 2 baths, 2nd deck & full cavity bsmt. Let its eye-catching attributes constitute your next home! **\$139,000**



Price Reduced - Round Pond: A charming camp is found on this very picturesque setting where you'll be treated to a westerly exposure while being surrounded by mesmerizing lake views where Round and South Ponds merge. Sporting a natural ground cover inclusive of low bush blueberries with 110+/- feet of shore frontage and with year round dock, its classic exterior and spacious screened porch will welcome you to years of vacation memories. Living room with dining area enjoy a newly installed picture window. Cozy woodstove in kitchen, newly renovated bath, gas heating, driven point and septic. Enjoy life... **\$79,900. \$64,900**

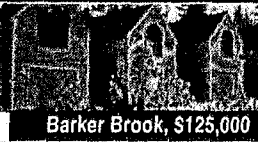
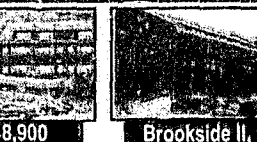
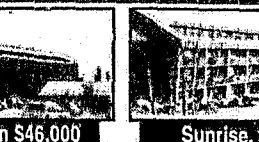


New Listing - Bailey Rd., Bethel: Approached by a beautiful brick pathway & ballasted farm porch, you'll step across its well coming threshold and be impressed by the overwhelming quality exemplified through this 1981 center. Sit on 2.25+/- ac. its attributes seem countless. Handsome LR w/country white brick hearth, cherry woodstove & high vaulted ceilings. Spacious modern kitchen w/ ceramic tiled fl., custom cabinets & sunny skylight to its adjoining dining area, main BR & 2 add. BR's **\$153,900**



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BARBARA C. FELT

Barbara C. (Coffin) Felt, 73, died in her home of 53 years on Felt Road, Woodstock, on July 29, 1998, with her family by her side.

She was born on Feb. 24, 1925, daughter of the late Alpheus B. Coffin and Agnes M. (Millett) Coffin. She attended Rumford schools and graduated from Woodstock High School in Bryant Pond.

She was a member of the Bryant Pond Baptist Church, where she was a member of the youth group and sang in the choir.

She worked at the Stowell Silk Spool Mill and at the Birch Villa Inn in Bryant Pond.

She belonged to the Girl Scouts and to the local 4-H group. She was a member of the Franklin Juvenile Grange, Franklin Subordinate Grange, in which she held the office of chaplain, Oxford Pomona Grange, Maine State and National Grange.

She married her husband of 53 years, Richard Felt, on June 30, 1945. Together they worked side by side on their farm, where they had a dairy herd, sheep, poultry and pigs. The couple raised crops for local canning factories and worked on their woodlots.

She was a devoted homemaker, wife, mother and grandmother. She spent many hours volunteering in her daughter's school and followed her as the band and softball team traveled from town to town. She was a devoted Red Sox fan, and once when they were in a slump was quoted as saying, "My daughter's softball team can beat them!"

She was a very talented crafts lady. She enjoyed cooking, garden-

ing, flower arranging, jewelry making, music, reading -- especially Laura Ingalls Wilder's books, knitting, crocheting, embroidery, sewing, playing Chinese checkers, the outdoors, "attempted" carpentry and most of all spending time with her family.

She loved her granddaughter, Jennifer, and took an active part in raising her, supporting her interests and hobbies and following her in her musical and educational endeavors.

Mrs. Felt will be remembered for her sense of humor, her caring ways and for the love and devotion she showered upon her family. She was always reading and learning, and encouraged others to do the same. She was an inspiration and a source of delight to all who knew her.

Survivors include her husband; her mother, one daughter, Sharon E. Silver; a granddaughter, Jennifer L. Felt; one brother, Millett Coffin; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her father.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Aug. 1, at the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, with interment in Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond. Those who wish may make donations in Barbara's memory to either Tri-Town Rescue, P.O. Box 275, West Paris, ME 04289, or the Whitman Memorial Library, Book Fund, Main Street, Bryant Pond, ME 04219.

GLADYS HODGE

Gladys M. Hodge, 90, died Friday, July 31, 1998, at the Victorian Villa Nursing Home in Canton, where she had resided the past few years. She was formerly of Pleasant Street, Peru and had lived in that

area most of her life.

She was born in Canton on Dec. 7, 1907, the daughter of Orlington and Emma (Cote) Pingree and had attended schools in Canton.

She was married in Peru on June 26, 1926, to the late Walter F. Hodge, who died in 1960.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Hartley (Annie) Moore of Livermore; a sister, Mrs. Maurice (Ufreca) Louvat of Rumford; a brother, Charles Lufkin of Bethel; many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by sons Joseph, Grant and Walter Hodge Jr.; daughters Marilyn Hodge and Marion Dupont; and several sisters and brothers.

Funeral services were held Monday, Aug. 3, at the Meader & Son Funeral Home, Rumford, with the Rev. Ronald Ashworth officiating. Interment was in Demeritt Cemetery, West Peru. Those who desire may contribute to the Good Neighbors Inc., P.O. Box 119, Bridgton, ME 04009 in her memory.

JARED T. HENDERSON

Jared Thomas Henderson, 12, of Hartford, died unexpectedly on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 1, 1998.

Born in Lewiston on March 25, 1986, he was the son of Stephen J. and Beverly R. (Tyler) Henderson. He was a lifelong resident of Hartford and attended most recently the Hartford-Summer Elementary School in Summer.

Jared was an avid sports fan. He loved football, baseball, basketball, as well as music, reading and friends. He played baseball for both the Hartford and Canton town

teams and was the third basemen for both teams.

Jared will be sadly missed by his family: father Stephen; mother Beverly; brothers Justin and Jamie; sisters Alyssa, Cailin, Marissa and Lauren; maternal grandparents George and Mary Tyler of Strong; paternal grandparents Edison and Rosemary Henderson of Hartford; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Aug. 4, at the Buckfield Community Church with interment in the Elmwood Cemetery, Sumner. Those who wish may make donations in Jared's memory to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Maine, 87 Elm Street, Ste. 206, Camden, ME 04843.

JAMES C. MACDONALD

James C. MacDonald, 62, of Rumford, died Saturday, Aug. 1, 1998, at his home following a brief illness.

He was born in Rumford on Oct. 12, 1935, the first son of James C. and Gladys Day MacDonald. He was educated in Rumford schools and graduated from Stephens High School in the class of 1953.

He went on to pursue a career in the U.S. Army, serving 21 years, and retired in 1975 as a staff sergeant. He returned to Rumford to raise his family and worked at the Stowell-McGregor Mill in Dixfield and then at Andover Wood Products, from which he retired in 1997.

He was a member of the American Legion, enjoyed the outdoors, riding the roads and fishing with his brother, "Fisherman Frank."

Survivors include his friend and companion, Sandra Mason of Bethel; his son, Clifford M. of Dixfield; two daughters, Mrs. Kevin (Vicky) Hughes of Andover and Mrs. Michael (Tawn Marie) Halacy of Bryant Pond; two brothers, Frank of Rumford and Raymond of Pembroke, N.H.; three sisters, Mrs. Durwood (Sally) Brown of Mexico, Mrs. Dan (Gladys "Toto") MacDonald of Rumford and Rosabelle Tift of Bethel; and six grand-

children. He was predeceased by his wife, Cathy, of 36 years in 1993; a brother, John; and three sisters, Margie, Babs and Vicky.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Aug. 4, at the Thibault Funeral Home in Rumford.

NEWTON S. LAMB

Newton Smith Lamb, 78, of West Paris, died at the Maine Veteran's Home in South Paris on Aug. 2, 1998.

He was born in Rangeley on March 20, 1920, to Celia Smith and Conrad Lamb. He attended schools in Rangeley, Bethel and West Paris.

He was a member of the National Guard and enlisted in the Army Air Force in June of 1942. He graduated from the National School of Aeronautics in Kansas City, Mo., and repaired airplane engines in the South Pacific with the 13th and 28th Repair Squadrons, from New Caledonia to Guadalcanal, and served in Japan after the surrender. He returned home in 1945.

He married Joyce Allen of Buckfield on June 21, 1947.

He ran his own auto repair business, the Millhouse Garage, in West Paris for many years. He later worked as a school bus mechanic for SAD17. He suffered a stroke in 1970 and had been disabled since.

A member of the West Paris Universalist Church, he was also a charter member of the West Paris Historical Society and Senior Citizens of West Paris. He also held membership in the American Legion Post 68 of Locke Mills and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Floyd A. Harlow, Jr. Post 9787.

He was an avid bird watcher, loved reading and enjoyed sharing stories.

Survivors include his wife of 51 years and his six children, Dr. Joseph F. Lamb of Athens, Ohio; Judith E. Lamb of Bar Harbor, Dr. Allen N. Lamb of Santa Fe, N.M.; Margaret L. Lamb of Palermo, Kenneth C. Lamb of South Paris and Wendy Sue Lamb of Valdosta, Ga.; two brothers, Joseph Hayward Lamb of Charleston, S.C., and Al-

bert Sayward Lamb of Locke Mills; two sisters, Jeanne Whittemore of Norway and Elaine Blossom of North Branford, Conn.; and 10 grandchildren. He was predeceased by a brother, Stanton.

Memorial services were held Tuesday, Aug. 4, at the West Paris Universalist Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Newton's memory to either the West Paris Universalist Church or the West Paris Public Library, c/o Beverly Stevens, 218 Pioneer Street, West Paris, ME 04289.

IVY C. PHILBROOK

Ivy C. Philbrook, 73, of Albany, died Sunday, Aug. 2, 1998, at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

Miss Philbrook was born at Albany on Nov. 2, 1924, the daughter of Fred and Daisy Cummings Philbrook. She was educated in Albany schools and received a bachelor of science degree in home economics and diet therapy from Nason College in Springfield.

She had worked as director of food services and instructor at Vermont College for many years and also served as director of food services and physical therapy aide at Ledgeview Nursing Home in West Paris.

During the summers she worked at Camp Nygren in Albany. Township as a member of the board of directors and food services and cook. She also worked at the Lynn Home for Young Women in Lynn, Mass. She had stayed with Ethel Nygren while living in Massachusetts.

She summered for many years at Songo Pond.

She was a member of the previous Round Mountain Grange of Albany and Alder River Grange in East Bethel. She also belonged to the State and National Grange, and SCORE of Norway.

She is survived by one cousin, Hugh Stearns of Albany, and many second and third cousins.

Graveside services were held Wednesday, Aug. 5, at the Hunt's Corner Cemetery in Albany. Donations in Miss Philbrook's memory may be sent to the Hunt's Corner Cemetery Association, RFD #1, Box 2155, North Waterford, ME 04267.

ELMER E. RYERSON

Elmer E. Ryerson, 78, of Spring Hill, Fla., formerly of North Bridgton, died Tuesday, Aug. 4, 1998, at the Arbors at Bayonet Point, Hudson, Fla.

Born in Milton Plantation, he moved to Florida 25 years ago from North Bridgton.

He was a retired Senior Master Sergeant, U.S. Air Force and a Purple Heart recipient.

He was a member of the United Church of Christ, Spring Hill; life member of V.F.W. Post 10209, Spring Hill; DAV, life member of the 57th Bomb Wing, Army Air Force; AFSA (Air Force Sergeant's Association); and Order of the Purple Heart.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn; a daughter, Mrs. Richard (Stacy) Burns of Spring Hill, Fla.; two brothers, James of Livermore and George of Norway; a sister, Louise Merrill of North Bridgton; and one grandson.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the American Heart Association.

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